



LAKE PROVIDENCE CHEERLEADERS—The Pee-Wee football cheerleaders at Lake Providence are shown above in their matching uniforms. Left to right, Judy Green, Sylvia Whitley, Gay Schneider, Janice Lancaster, Pamela Terral and Deanna Haggard. The Pee-Wee team is sponsored by the Lake Providence High school and coached by Charles Newman.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 5—UP—Colder weather by Sunday night with rain and some snow was forecast for Missouri Saturday by the weather bureau here. The forecasters said rain spreading over most of the state Saturday night would be mixed with snow in the northwest Sunday morning.

Woman Of The Year Will Be Announced Tomorrow

The Woman of the Year will be named Monday night as the climax of a banquet sponsored by the Interclub Council for this purpose.

Each year the Council, composed of the five women's service clubs, makes public recognition of the local woman who has made the most outstanding civic contribution to her community during the year. Selection is made on the basis of:

1. Her leadership in civic work, community projects and church work.
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A group of judges are drawn from a panel of names submitted by the participating clubs, and remain anonymous, even to each other. Nominations are submitted not only by clubs and organizations, but also by individuals, the only requirement being that the nominee's qualifications must be detailed.

Each judge, after consideration and evaluation of these nominations, indicates his or her choice on a scorecard furnished for that

purpose. The result of the scoring will not be made public until the night of the banquet.

"The qualifications of each nominee as outlined in the letters of nomination received have in each instance been thoroughly checked and verified," said Mrs. George Holt, President of the Council. "Since a very large number of nominations were received, this has entailed a great deal of work and time. We have been amazed at the large number of very fine women in our community who fulfill all of the qualifications. The task of the judges has not been an easy one."

Previous women recognized for this honor have been Mrs. C. E. Faulk, 1949, Mrs. DeWitt Henry, 1950, Miss Juanita Porter, 1951, and Mrs. Amos Hood, 1952.

The banquet will be held at 8 p.m. Monday, December 7, at the Virginia Hotel Roof. A few tickets are still available, and may be obtained by calling Mrs. Hazel Garlington or Mrs. George Holt.

The hottest season of the year is referred to as the "dog days." Moss grows on telephone wires in Puerto Rico.

Gridiron Dinner To Be Held Feb. 20

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 5—UP—The third annual politician-roasting — the Gridiron dinner — will be held Feb. 20 rather than a week later as first announced.

Ed Clinton, president of the Capital Correspondents Association which sponsors the event, said Feb. 20 will be more convenient because of previously scheduled events at the later date.

The dinner is open only to Gridiron members and Clinton said a membership drive will get underway.

Press Agent Needed Creation Of Liberty Legion Is Proposed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5 —UP—Rep. George H. Bender said Saturday there wasn't much wrong with Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson's shake-up of the Soil Conservation Service that a good press agent couldn't have cured.

The Ohio Republican is head of ment operations which has just concluded two days of hearings into the controversial reorganization plan.



COUNT DRACULA—as he appears in the current Little Theatre production of "Dracula", which opened December 3 and will play nightly through Wednesday evening, December 9. This thriller of thirty years in book form, stage and screen is a dramatization of Bram Stoker's world famous novel.

Dracula Production Here Is Declared 'A Credit'

By YVONNE BRETT

The cast of the Little Theatre's present production, Dracula, combined their effort and talent to present a local play which tallied in every respect with a big company production of a horror thriller.

From the minute the curtain went up on the first act the show moved swiftly and throughout its entirety held the audience with an expectant air.

The central figure in the production, Count Dracula, was played by Director Thom Feuerstein. Each entrance made by Dracula was anticipated by the audience for the glaring eyes, make-up and costume were spectacular enough to give a spine-tickling effect.

The laurels in the show were earned by Warren A. Portier, who portrayed Renfield, a crazy man confined to a sanitarium. Portier's every movement, and the weird laughs of a crazy man, took the spotlight and rapped a large portion of the show's highlight into the character of Renfield.

Stage crews did a fine job on the scenery, lighting and different effects produced to clothe the mystery of the production. The highlight of special effects was the disappearance of Dracula through a trap door. Many persons went to investigate the trap door following the play.

Dogs whining, bats flying, screams, and other instances carried out the setting of the production to give the effective background for the characters of the play.

Members of the cast carried their parts in unison. Distinct credit goes to the heroine's father, Dr. Seward, as played by Sim S. Black, and to his physician friend, Van Helsing, who carried the weight of the play on their shoulders. These two men were on stage nearly the whole time and their conversation never lagged.

The play's heroine, Lucy Seward, played by Alice Magouirk, justified the author's interpretation of his character. She was a lifeless creature who came to life with bursts of emotion and made her audience feel sympathy.

Miss Wells, Lucy's maid, played by Barbara Sammons, John Harkner, Lucy's fiancé, and Max Williams, the attorney Butterworth, all carried their parts efficiently and at certain intervals gave importance to their characters.

Even though Monroe's Little Theatre group is non-professional their production Dracula was a credit.

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Jail Breakers

Three Men Beat Sheriff, Leap To Ground, Escape

TEXARKANA, Ark., Dec. 5—UP—Three men jumped one and one-half stories Friday night and escaped from the Miller county jail here after two of them had severely beaten a deputy sheriff.

One of the men, identified as John Nelson, 19, Texarkana, sprained an ankle in the jump and was captured a short time later. The other two, Floyd C. Lay, 18, Bellmont, N.C., and Wendrow Crabtree, 23, Texarkana, were still at large early Saturday.

Miller county authorities said that deputy sheriff R. A. Bennett was making a routine check of prisoners at 9 p.m. in the jail run-around when he was attacked by Crabtree and Nelson. They beat him with a metal mop handle, took his keys and released Lay.

The three prisoners then went to a lower floor, broke into an office and jumped from a window to a setback one and one-half stories below.

Transition From Grade To High School Studied

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 5—UP—A group of Southern educators headed by a Louisianian is trying to smooth the often-rugged jump from one teacher, one-room elementary schools to high schools.

The problem has been under study for three years by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

The special group is headed by Thomas R. Landry, Louisiana supervisor of elementary education, who was selected at a meeting of the association recently in Memphis, Tenn.

The group represents more than 2,000 schools in 250 systems in 11 Southern states, including 125 schools in 16 Louisiana systems.

Landry said one effort of the group will be to promote an exchange of ideas for improving individual schools or systems — in grade-to-secondary transition as well as such things as low-cost plant improvements.

The first meeting of the special group has been set for next summer in Daytona Beach, Fla.

Search Goes On For Body Of Man Drowned In River

SHAW, La. (AP)—Concordia Parish officials and civilian volunteers continued today to search for the body of a 36-year-old Alexandria insurance man who disappeared in the Mississippi River last week.

Andy M. Locken was on a duck hunting trip near here Nov. 27 when he was thrown from his skiff and disappeared into the muddy waters of the Mississippi. Two hunting companions watched helplessly from shore.

Sheriff Grady L. Kelley and deputies are continuing to scour the river and banks with the help of members of the Alexandria Exchange Club. The club has set up a camp near the site of the accident and two members assist in the search each day.

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LSU Print Shop Hit By Printers

Charges that Louisiana State University is competing with private printing firms in Baton Rouge to the tune of many thousands of dollars a year, were made yesterday at a meeting of printers and stationers here.

Participating in the session which got under way around 2 p.m. at the Virginia Hotel, were members of special investigating committees of the Printers and Stationers Association, as well as several state legislators.

Principal speaker was State Representative Rolfe McCollister of East Baton Rouge parish, who is also chairman of the state legislative printing committee.

McCollister said that the state's grand scale entry into the printing business was a "direct threat to free enterprise in the state in all fields."

He added that when much of the state's printing is syphoned off from private printing firms, competition for the remaining business among these organizations increases, while revenues decline.

The representative said that LSU, with elaborate printing facilities, had entered competition with Baton Rouge printing firms, and cut deeply into their business.

Francis Holliday, president of the Franklin Press of Baton Rouge, one of that city's largest printing firms, estimated that LSU is taking an average of \$150,000 worth of business away from private printing organizations in that area every year.

McCollister said that three other state owned colleges were doing at least part of their own printing work. He did not name the schools, however.

The representative expressed his opposition to the state handling most of its own printing work. Outside of the LSU instance, the groups made no charges that the state was handling any other than its own printing work.

However, McCollister, and State Senator James Hinton of Farmerville in Union parish, both observed that they were convinced after making a tour of inspection of the State Highway Department's printing facilities, that the work was not being handled efficiently.

McCollister said that he favored passing legislation forbidding the state to expand its printing facilities. And that after that, in a gradual process, it should get rid of elaborate printing equipment, keeping on hand only essential duplication machines needed for small quantities of office work, he said.

A "Pat" Stoddard of New Orleans, secretary-treasurer of the Allied Printing Trades Association, said that his group had met in July in Baton Rouge to discuss the state's printing activities. And after a meeting with the commissioner of labor, he had conferred with Governor Kennon, he said, and obtained from him permission to collect samples of all of the state's printing work.

On hand for inspection at the meeting were some 1,100 samples of work ranging from checks, maps, to record books and assorted folders.

Holliday joined Representative McCollister in maintaining that the state was doing itself out of a large amount of tax revenue by operating a large printing project, and cutting into the profits of private firms.

McCollister said also, that although some state agencies estimated that they were saving from 20 to 30 per cent on their printing costs by using their own facilities, this figuring was incorrect. He said that state officials did not figure in such costs as rental of buildings for housing printing facilities, the cost of the equipment, nor the salaries of part-time workers borrowed from other agencies to supplement their own staffs.

"Of 64 state agencies," the representative said, "five do all of their printing, 22 do part, and 10 depend on other agencies for their printing."

McCollister added that of six state colleges, one (LSU) does all of its own printing, and three do part.

In connection with the LSU set-up, the representative said that originally the university purchased equipment for printing its daily newspaper, but later to this added an extensive amount of job printing equipment which had no connection with work being carried on by the journalism department.

Other members of the committees who were present included Joseph E. John, president of the Louisiana State Allied Printing Trades Association, and Bob Burns, Monroe, secretary-treasurer of the Printers and Stationers Association of Louisiana.

Besides legislators, McCollister and Hinton, those attending were State Senator James Sparks of Monroe, and State Representative Gilbert Faulk of Ouachita parish. There were approximately 60 printers and stationers from various state areas in attendance.

UN MAIN BODY ADJOURNS UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Dec. 5-UP—The United Nations main political committee adjourned Saturday until Monday without making a decision on whether to discuss the Korean question again before the current General Assembly ends. India's V. K. Krishna Menon demanded that the 48-nation group hold at least a brief discussion of the Korean question before the assembly adjourns.

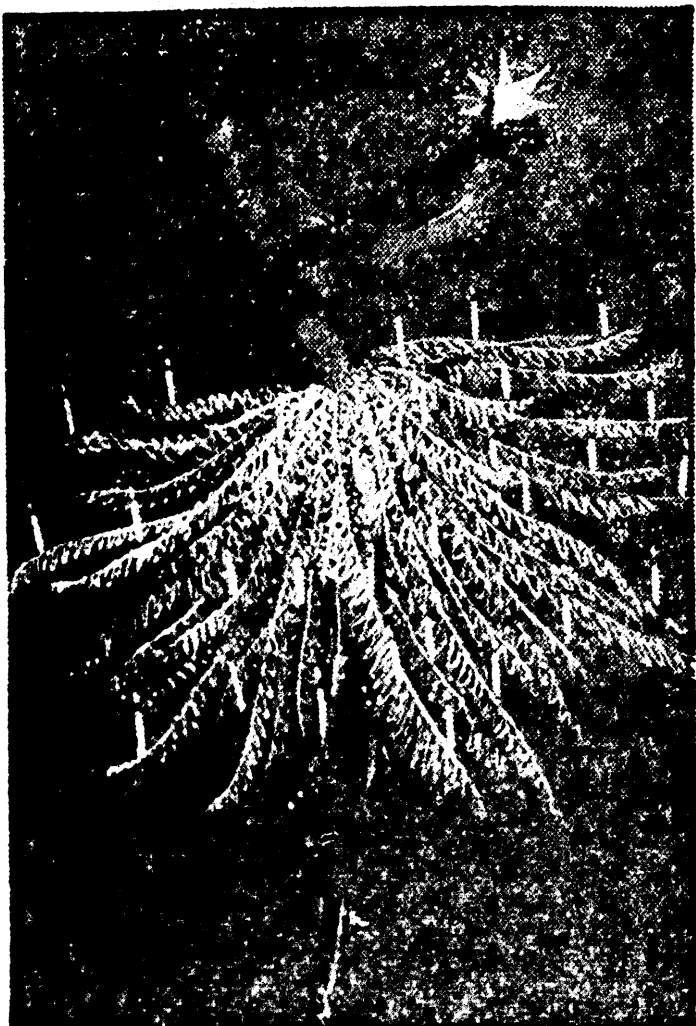
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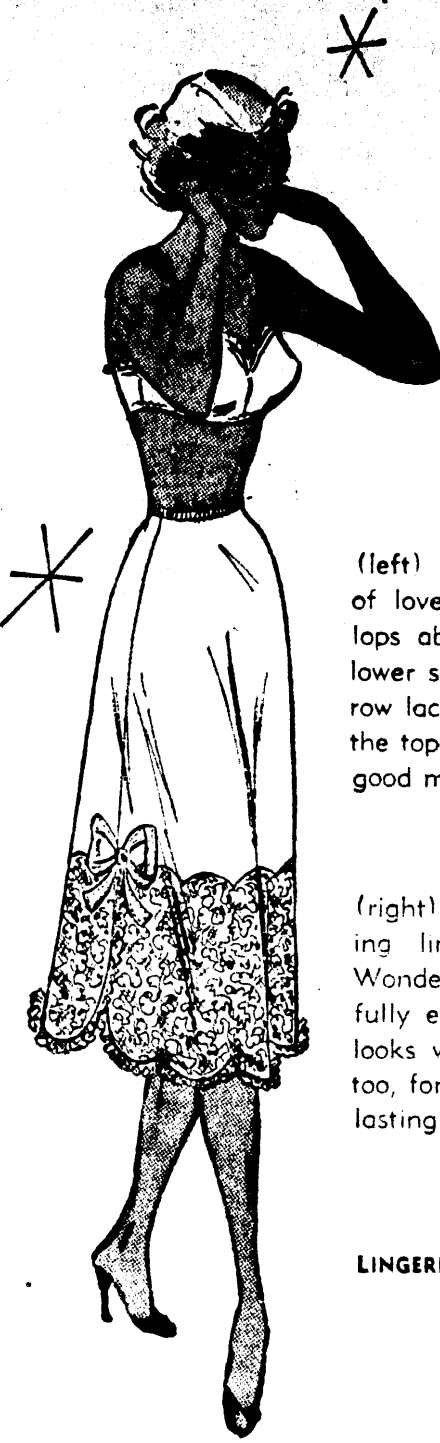
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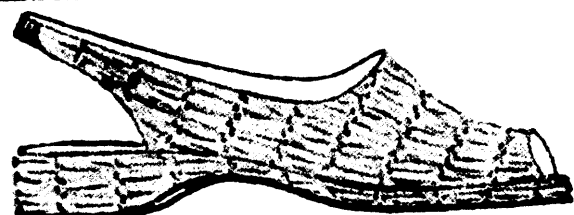
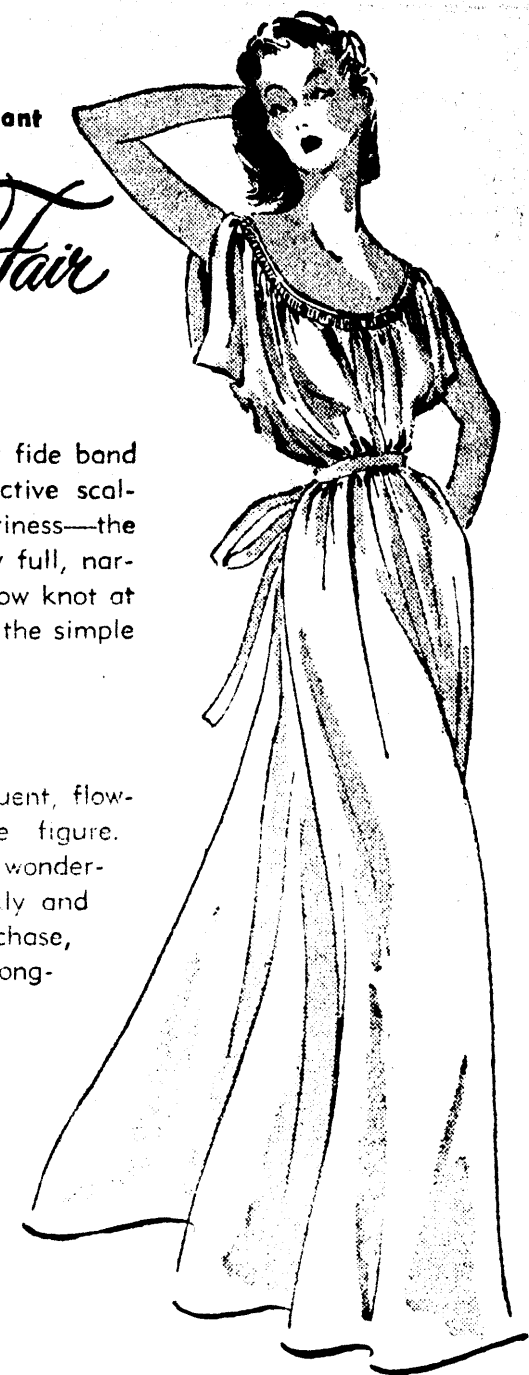
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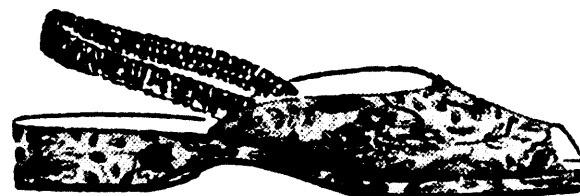
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Editorials

On A Sense Of Values

The present world position of this formerly respected republic shows that "something is wrong" at home. Something is wrong with the citizens of a nation who would permit their land to be ridiculed by weak nations backed by a colossus of evil which is attempting to take over the world.

Something is wrong with a nation of people which praises a partisan politician, formerly associated with a gang machine, and a man who was clearly responsible for "turning his head" in the presence of known agents of the Soviet bandit empire. Something is wrong with people when they can be blinded to the truth as presented by patriotic government officials and something is clearly amiss when the people follow the lead of tea sippers and coddlers of appeasement, when twenty years or so ago, the American people were awake to the situation and would never have permitted the honor of their republic to be stained by foreigners, much less, American officials.

One might blame it all on "propaganda" and, to be sure, this has been one of the major causes of catastrophe, but beneath the propaganda, there is another force rearing its head. It could easily be that many Americans no longer care. There are the people, supposedly "intellectuals", who have turned into liberal zealots throwing their financial backing to causes other than those which could be of assistance to the United States. A good example of this is Fredrick Vanderbilt Field, scion of the Vanderbilt family, who is now a full-fledged member of the Communist Party. There are many others of his type.

However, there is a group of people, wealthy, many without a financial care in the world, who would much prefer to play golf, attend poker games, nightclubs, parties and "entertain" than they would attend the fearful matters at hand. It is these generally astute business people, "solid citizens", upon whom the burden has fallen. Unfortunately, in very many cases, they have neglected their burden and no longer care. The reasons for this in numerous instances can be found in a lack of knowledge of present dangers, following the lead of party line politicians, greater interest in business affairs than in the long range prospect, and in some unfortunate cases, an in-range prospect, and in some unfortunate cases. A complete lack of interest in the nation's future.

The good sense held by many Americans that home and family is more important than anything at hand and the security thereof, has been lost by some people in every community who in their haste to "forget it all" forget their responsibilities and lead curious existences not at all in tune with the sense of values which made this nation great. When a person, no matter how affluent, decides to place his home and responsibilities as a good citizen in second position to parties, a "devil may care attitude", something is wrong. It happens all over the nation.

It is unnecessary to again point out the decline and fall of the Roman Empire to the people of this area and the nation as a whole, because they are well aware how civilizations end. However, it is necessary to point out that many years ago, Oswald Spengler, one of the world's greatest philosophers, showed that the Western civilization was in the "winter" of its life.

There are forces battering the walls of this republic, the last great redoubt of freedom in the world, which use every single method at their disposal to ruin this nation and its people. They work night and day and use methods never dreamed of by fair minded American people who respect and demand a fair fight. They use you if you are not careful. They use your public officials, showing them "better ways" to gain votes. They use the clergy in an attempt to show that Christianity and God could be compatible with the theories of Marx and Lenin. They use your own tax money to spend your nation into bankruptcy and they place their own agents into your government knowing well that only confusion can result.

Therefore, it is up to those with influence, with financial capital, and with an astute eye for business to realize that before business, before pleasure, comes the salvation of the nation and its future as a free and independent republic. It is clearly time for Americans of all walks of life, whether "affluent" or otherwise, to awaken themselves to the situation at hand. These are indeed "hysterical" times, as many of the "soothers" would have you believe. There are now a few Americans who, realizing the terrible danger, are deathly afraid and in every community you will find them rich, poor, affluent and otherwise who are doing their very best to help the situation.

Those with financial ability cast it to the support of candidates, officers and organizations attempting to do a good job and those who have not enough wealth, use their minds and their voices. To some, a realization of the dangers of today, has caused a return of their sense of values and to the others, there are now at least, murmurs of question.

Over a period of years, this nation has lost its good senses, floating down the path to moral destruction. Unless the gears are thrown into reverse, unless there is a return to the crossroads of realistic approach to the living of today, the nation will go down to destruction.

A sense of values which in many cases was lost, has returned to some. They are bearing the load. Unless it comes to others, the cloud which hovers ever near, will suddenly descend and engulf this nation.

Upon the American sense of values lies its future as a free nation.

Driving Comparisons

Those who drive the streets of these communities and find many faults with pedestrians and other drivers, should take themselves and drive elsewhere for a few days. It is a fact that there is carelessness on the streets but fortunately, it is being lessened as the days go by.

In New Orleans, for instance, there is a great toll of life and limb on the streets. Fifty-two lives have been lost this year in the city itself and this does not take in the surrounding neighborhoods. The city officials, and the new-

papers are seriously worried about the situation and are doing everything in their power to curtail the accidents. There is an attitude in most large cities unlike almost anything ever witnessed in smaller communities which dictates that when a light changes, there is a mad race ahead and anything in the path of the oncoming vehicles is almost demolished.

The pedestrian cares not for his life as he saunters into the flood of fast moving traffic without even a look to the side. When he is hit and wounded or killed, it's always the responsibility of the driver who has his responsibilities of merely keeping all four fenders intact in the maelstrom of big city traffic.

Also, there is what is known as "lane driving" where the automobiles are supposed to stay in one lane or another depending upon the speed maintained by the drivers. At various times, it would appear that the drivers become discontented with the "lane" in which they drive and they move into another "lane." They generally do this without so much as a glance to see whether or not the way is clear.

This is not only so of New Orleans but is in general what happens in many great cities. The smaller communities have a lot to be thankful for, but the people must always be alert as to traffic hazards. This community is growing and with it, the accident rate. Unless all precautions are taken, perhaps this area will become as other large cities in danger on the streets.

A Policy Of Appeasement Is A Policy Of Destruction

The furor aroused by Senator McCarthy's speech and his ideas on foreign policy, was to be expected from the Democrat party for the simple reason that the National Democrats are not in sympathy with many ideas which would return this nation's domestic and foreign policies into what they once were, that of sensibility.

There were to be expected cries from the mortally wounded Truman, his cohorts and the remainder of the cabal which has in recent years brought this land to the point of near destruction. The Senator fully realizing this coming storm, was careful to point out that the Republicans were not responsible for what went on in the past years of Roosevelt-Hopkins, Truman-Acheson administrations and he brought up the fact that the people had demanded a change and had thrown out those who refused to admit their mistakes. Fully sensing the present trends, he demanded that there be a change in the policies of this nation as pertains to the overseas regions.

Now, curiously enough by suggestions, the Secretary of State has denounced McCarthy and, President Eisenhower has denounced McCarthy. They all did so asserting that they have no idea of acting as arrogant bullies and making "satellites" of the allies of this republic. Even more amazing was the praise given the chief executive by Hubert Humphrey, the Senator from Minnesota and an ardent member of the highest standing in the extreme leftist Americans for Democratic Action.

In order to help set things down as they appeared, the Wisconsin Senator laid down a foreign policy which was clearly sensible to Americans who have read their books on the history of policies which made this nation what it is today. He laid down an idea clearly sensible to Americans who have fought in Korea and who have lost relatives there. He laid down an idea that has always been an integral part of American diplomacy. He did not demand that this nation act like an "arrogant bully" and lead its allies about by the nose, far from it; he simply asked the administration to make the changes asked for by the people, the majority of the people in the last election. He asked for the changes which would help this nation fight the Communists and regain some of its prestige abroad.

Was it too much to demand that the "allies" stop their trade with Communist nations? Was it too much to demand that Red China be forced to turn over the American fliers and troops still held even though the "armistice" decrees otherwise?

Apparently it was, and now the statements by the Secretary of State and the President go to prove what many people have uneasily suspected for some months now. The foreign policies of this nation have not changed. They are the same ones held by Acheson and Truman and those formulating these policies are the very same ones as were seen some two years ago. The "advisors" of the President are a group in sympathy with the British and the French and they advise him as they are "advised" themselves by those nations.

Was it (for instance) sound policy to decide against helping Pakistan arm and build air bases simply because the Communists, the Indians and the British objected? Was it sound foreign policy to permit the Western "Explainers" at the prisoner of war cages only four minutes each to "educate" the Communist sympathizing prisoners while the Communists are given what amounts to unlimited time to reconvert the anti-Communist prisoners? Was it sound foreign policy to underwrite the French who now are seeking a side deal with the Russians, a deal similar to that which helped to bring about the first war?

What noticeable changes have occurred since the advent of the new administration save that of the alliance with Spain? What changes for the better have been brought about as were necessary? Has India been dropped as the "anchor" in the East? Has France been dropped as the "anchor" in the West? On the contrary, the French, who are now ready to promote the deal with the Russians are still able to throw around considerable weight, and the British who, in the face of disaster, would be "neutral" are also determined to promote a four power conference knowing well that nothing will come of it. They are still ready to bring their empty pocket-books to the U. S. Treasury to be refilled while dealing with the enemy of all free men.

No, Senator McCarthy has only asked for a policy of Americanism, one which has been needed for some years, but one which will apparently not come about as things stand. There is no necessity to lead allies about by the nose. There is no need to "bully" nations. There is however a need to promote the security of this nation in the world, to promote respect for the American people and not to promote the interests of the Soviet Union. The latest Soviet blast on November 3rd which closed the door to any sane agreement would

never have been made were it not for the mounting wave of appeasement seen both overseas and in this nation.

This appeasement will bring the U. S. to destruction. It is time to consider real friends. Do not throw true allies, such as Konrad Adenauer, to the wolves of British Bevanites, French neutralists and American followers of Harry White-Henry Morgenthau policies. Consider Syngman Rhee and Chiang Kai-shek when recognition of Soviet China is brought up. A policy of appeasement is a policy of destruction.

These are the facts brought out by Senator McCarthy, other statements to the contrary.

Don't Burn Up The Christmas Tree! (And Set Yourself On Fire)

Hardly a year goes by but some child is severely burned while playing near the Christmas tree. It happens in many cities all over the nation at every yuletide season and turns a merry Christmas into a season of sorrow. Christmas trees burn like a torch because they are made of the most combustible materials, pitch and resin. Once a tree "goes up", the house generally goes with it. What can you do to prevent such tragedies? There are many suggestions but the National Board of Fire Underwriters has proposed a list of suggestions which could help prevent trouble. They are in order:

1. Choose a small tree. It's less dangerous than a large one.
2. Don't set it up until a few days before Christmas. Until then, keep it out of the house.
3. Place the tree in the coolest part of the house, away from the fire places and the radiators. Don't let it block an exit.
4. Try to stand it in water or in a tub of dirt.
5. Never use cotton or paper for decoration on or around the tree.
6. Do not put electric trains under the tree.
7. Use only electric lights, never candles and see that the wires are not frayed.
8. Make absolutely certain that the lights in use have been inspected and passed by the Underwriters Laboratories.
9. Provide a switch some distance from the tree for turning tree lights on and off. Don't plug or unplug them beneath the tree.
10. Throw away all gift wrappings as soon as the presents have been opened. Don't let them pile up beneath the tree.
11. Do not leave the tree lights burning when no one is at home.
12. If the needles near the lights turn brown, move the lights.
13. When the needles start to fall, take the tree down and discard it.

If you will follow these rules as set down by a group which realizes the dangers in the otherwise beautiful Christmas decorations, you should have no trouble. There should be no unhappiness and sorrow at Christmastime.

Going Back A Little

It is said that a "reactionary" is one who demands that there be no progress. The Democrats are always going back to 1930 to show the tremendous progress made under their administration. They claim that until then, there was no progress. Now, the President asks, "Do you want to go back to 1892?" That's a fair piece back, but consider the question.

Those ages have been termed by some Americans as "the dark ages". How dark were the "dark ages"? Milk sold for 4 cents a quart. Shoes were seventy five cents a pair. Three dollars bought a new suit. There were no income tax worries because there were no income taxes. There was no draft. No foreign problem to worry about, and no "class warfare" or "minority problems". People were considered people, not social security numbers.

Nobody had to carry passports as they were unknown; there were no bureaucrats to support and the Washington and international news was relegated to the insides of the newspapers. The ladies couldn't vote, but even if they wore pig tails, they were respected and men of all ages tipped their hats even to their own mothers.

It is a current mistake to believe that the America of today is the shining hallmark of the entire history of the nation. One does not need to be a "black reactionary" to feel that perhaps there is something in "going back a little".

Perhaps the "dark ages weren't too dark!"

More Crossing Atlantic

Roseate dreams by the steamship companies of transporting 1,000,000 passengers in 1953 across the Atlantic between the United States and Canada on this side and North European and Mediterranean ports are falling short of realization. There is little doubt, however, that as compared with 837,774, as a record travel turnover last year, the 900,000 mark will be reached. The bulk of the Atlantic travel to and from Canada is through the port of New York.

Apparently the companies banked too heavily on the pulling power of the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II of England, but there are only a certain number of Americans who are interested in that sort of thing. And Communist uprisings such as that being staged in France do not attract American tourists.



PORTRAITS

By James J. McCallie
Lie Not To God

WHAT is the meaning of an oath ... That you decide to take ... In your behalf or, now and then ... For someone else's sake? ... You sign an affidavit or ... You take the witness stand ... And never that you are truthful as ... You elevate your hand ... It means that you are asking God ... To witness, then and there ... That what you say or what you sign ... Is honest, true and square ... And if you do not tell the truth ... Your deed is perjury ... And as a sin against your God ... It is a tragedy ... Because to God your oath becomes ... A binding obligation ... In which there cannot be the least ... Of mental reservation.

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Public Forum

Monroe Can Feel Justly Proud Of Its Schools

Rutland, Vermont.

Editor, Morning World:

We hear so many complaints about schools, teachers, teenagers, and juvenile delinquency, that I thought a complimentary piece might be refreshing.

This morning (Dec. 1) I spoke for a second time at Neville High School and a first time at West Monroe High. Neville maintained its reputation of last year as the finest audience I have had in Louisiana. They were grand. It is a well conducted school and you are justly entitled to a lot of pride in the staff and Mr. Neal.

At West Monroe, it was a triumph in good teaching. During one hour I had courtesy, laughter to be sure, when I wanted, but I was sincere while I talked to them on Good Manners. For one or two minutes at a time there was hammering out back so loud that I could not be heard, and during those interludes there was not a move, a snicker or an untoward act from the students. That would be a test for a grown-up audience. May I say in conclusion, Monroe can justly feel proud of its schools; Ouachita Parish High, also, when I spoke a year ago to just as splendid a group of students, and you can be sure that your faculties are doing you a real service. At West Monroe, Mrs. Marie Frazier, dietitian, deserves special mention for efficiency, lack of waste, and splendid cooking.

This beautiful new school is being treated as it should be. It is clean, halls are quiet, library in good order and books treated right. The whole thing gives me faith in humanity and convinces me that our young people haven't gone to pot by a long shot. Russia will think a long time before she attacks people like this. I hope I may come back.

JOHN DALLAVALX.

Unworthy Journalism

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

What a pleasure to read your meaty editorials in today's (Dec. 1) issue. Thank goodness you have decided to slow up on the name-calling, for one day at least.

Resorting to vituperation because the people of New York elect a mayor, not of the writers' choice, seems to be unworthy of a journalist.

D. D. S.

West Monroe Police

West Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

I would like to hear from the city officials of West Monroe as to why the police department of our city always has to take a back seat and be the political football of a few West Monroe politicians. Our city is growing by leaps and bounds and no longer can be classed in the small town group. We have expanded and improved our businesses to keep up with the growth of the city and we feel that the city administration should do its part.

A short time ago I read in your paper that Chief Caldwell was going to ask for improvements that would modernize the police department to compare with other cities.

Where else in a city as large as West Monroe are all the police officers classed as patrolmen with no chance for promotion? What incentive has an officer with years of devoted service to his credit to improve himself when another officer employed yesterday has just as good rating and salary as he?

Don't we promote our employees in the business field as they deserve? If we did not give our employees a chance to better themselves, we would hold only those who have no ambition to do better. I have never been a policeman but have always considered it an honorable profession which should be taken out of politics and given a chance.

Let's modernize our police department in keeping with the growth of our fair city. Give the boys a break and a wage they can at least pay the bills on. I'm sure the city will be repaid in faithful service of a grateful group of officers.

West Monroe Citizen.

Rep. George Long Made Speeches For Wilkie

Shreveport, La.

Editor, Morning World:

In a United Press report of Nov. 8th, from Lafayette, La., "Long raps bid to open primaries" at the young Democratic meeting of the third district. Among speakers most cheered was George Long, congressman from the Eighth District and Uncle of Russell Long. George Long made speeches for Wendell Wilkie, candidate for president against Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1940 out in the Northwest and received several thousand dollars for his services to the Republican party. This same George Long as this young Democratic party meeting called our governor "the greatest traitor the Democratic Party has ever known". Can you imagine such an affront by such a hypocrite? It was said 400 people cheered this statement. There were 300,000 voters in the State of Louisiana who voted with Governor Kennon in his fight against Trumanism and Communism and for State's Rights, all of whom fought desperately to carry the State against Truman.

The shadow of the ghost of Huey Long still hovers over our State through his Russell and his brothers Earl and George. Huey did some good for our State, but all good accredited to him and his

administration sinks into oblivion when compared to the great scandals uncovered among his henchmen, many of whom served time in the penitentiary. His deals with Frank Costello and other gamblers who made dens of poisonous vipers all over the state of our lovely Louisiana, debauching her citizens and corrupting our children and his selling out our rich oil lands for nothing to the Win or Lose Oil Company of which he was one of the largest stock holders the benefits now enjoyed by Senator Russell Long.

Let us forget, re-read Louisiana Hay Ride, by Harnett T. Kane, who, thank God gave us a true picture and history of Huey P. Long, Earl K. Long and Russell Long's smells to high heaven. These facts have never been disproved, and yet we find Russell, Earl and George Long trying to shape the destiny of our state, all having records unworthy of confidence and trust. The present state administration under Governor R. F. Kennon is doing a fine job in wiping out the gambling machines and gamblers by destroying the slot machines and one arm bandits left by the Administration of Long. Russell Long who led a revolt after pledging to stand with our Chicago Democratic Committee was the leading speaker at Lafayette.

B. M. DORRITY

In Fight "For Keeps"

Bristol, Conn.

Editor, Morning World:

Here is a grateful D. A. R. who says "Thank You" for your editorial of October 20, 1953, which was just sent me from headquarters in Washington.

It is an inspiration to discover from day to day that so many of the thinking men and women of our country, the real Americans, are being aroused to action. We need every one we can get!

For seven or eight years, I have been writing newspapers in our state and others, in an attempt to wake people to a realization of what is going on. I have five scrapbooks filled with clippings that I wrote. Of course, the D. A. R. is my most beloved contact and they have used some of my letters in their publicity.

Sometimes, it seems as though nothing is being accomplished, then I see something like this editorial of yours and I perk up amazingly. But I have never ever considered quitting. I'm in this fight "for keeps!"

GRACE LEE KENYON

THOUGHTS

Meddle not with them; for I will not give you of their land, no, not so much as a foot breadth; because I have given mount Seir unto Esau for a possession.—Deut. 2:5.

A little thing will keep them from the house of God who have no desire to go to it.—Augsby.

To another faith by the same Spirit; to another the gifts of healing by the same Spirit.—1 Cor. 12:9.

Faith in an all-seeing personal God, elevates the soul, purifies the emotions, sustains human dignity, and lends poetry, nobility and holiness to the commonest state, condition and manner of life.—Juan Valera.

But we know that the law is good, if a man use it lawfully.—1 Timothy 1:8.

And the statutes, and the ordinances, and the law, and the commandment, which he wrote for you, ye shall observe to do for evermore; and ye shall not fear other gods.—II Kings 17:37.

We need only obey. There is guidance for each of us, and by lowly listening we shall hear the right word.—Emerson.

Of all created comforts, God is the lender; you are the borrower, not the owner.—Rutherford.

I have seen, I have seen the affliction of my people which is in Egypt, and I have heard their groaning, and am come down to deliver them. And now come, I will send thee into Egypt.—Acts 7:34.

And my people shall dwell in a peaceful habitation, and in sure dwellings, and in quiet resting places.—Isaiah 32:18.

There is a day of sunny rest For every dark and troubled night; And grief may hide an evening guest, But joy shall come with early light.—William C. Bryant.

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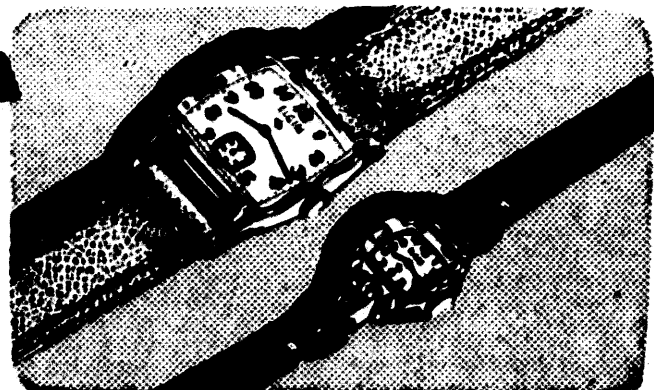
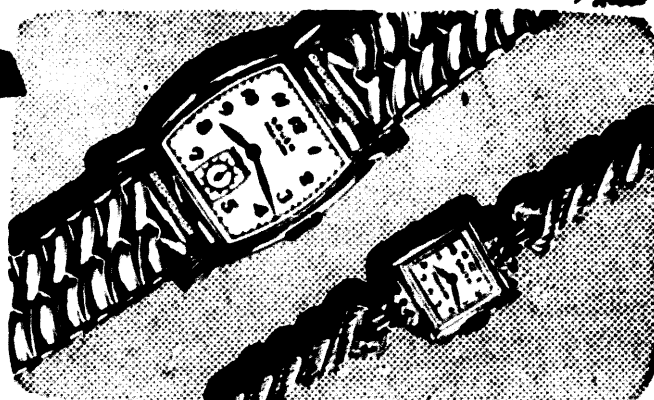
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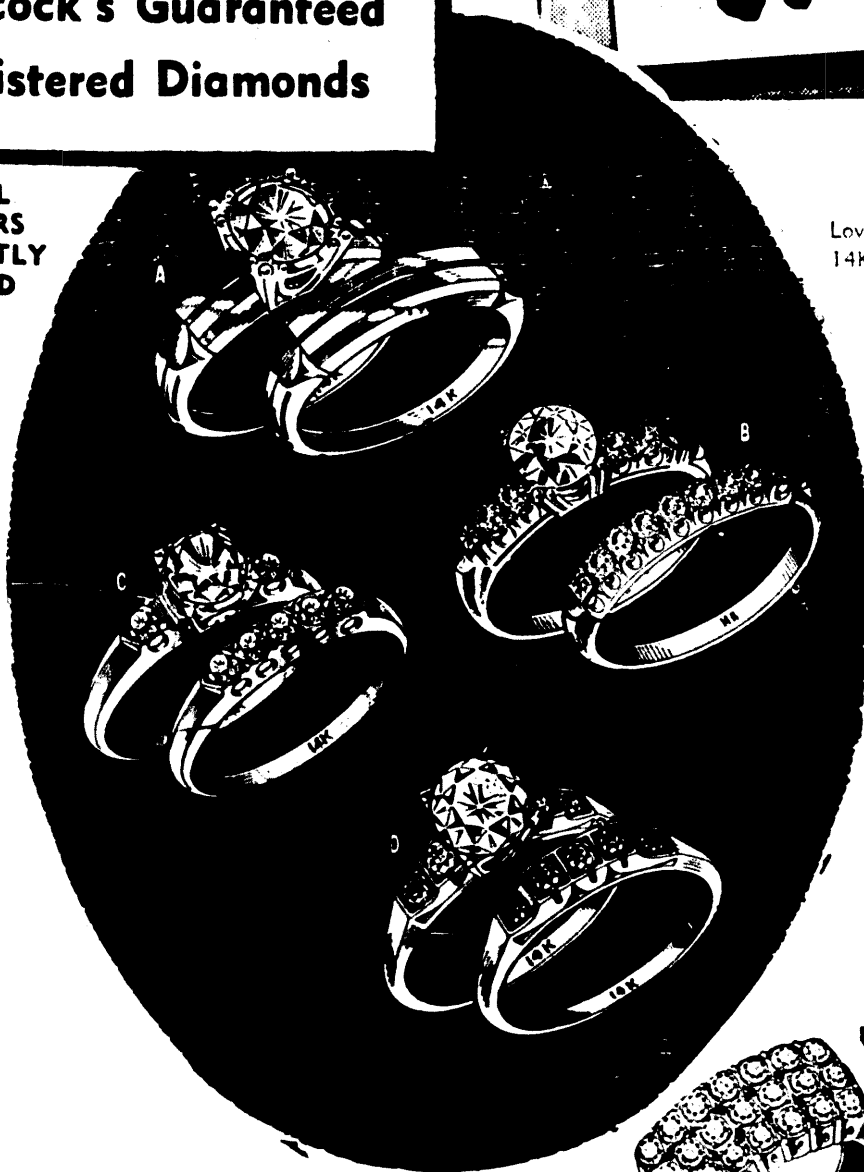
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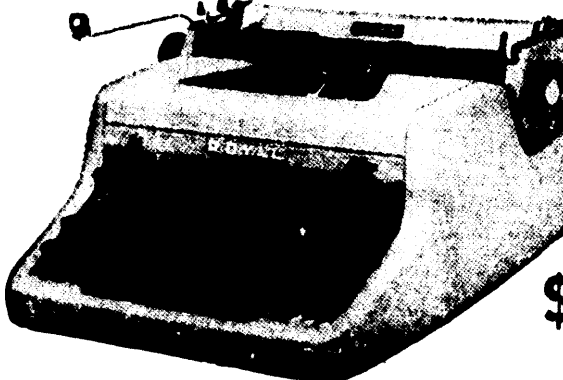
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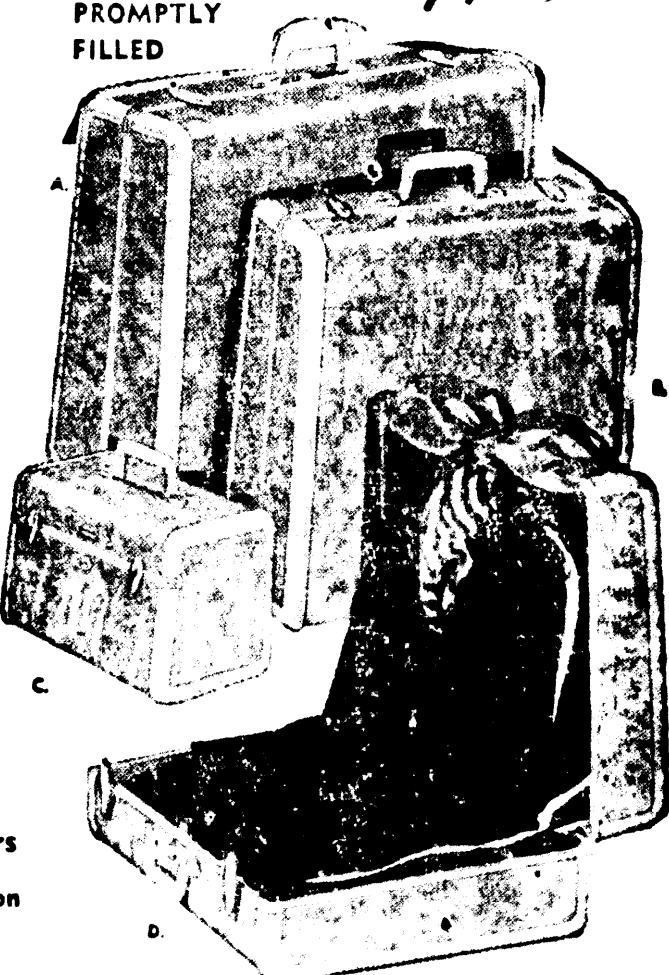


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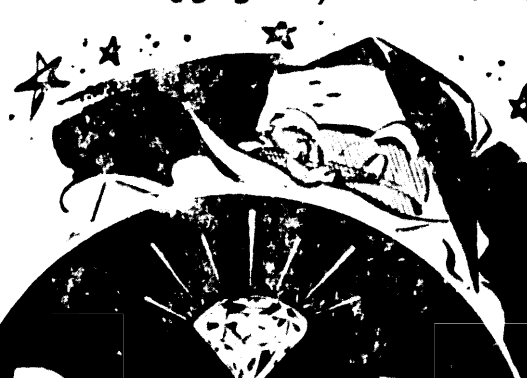
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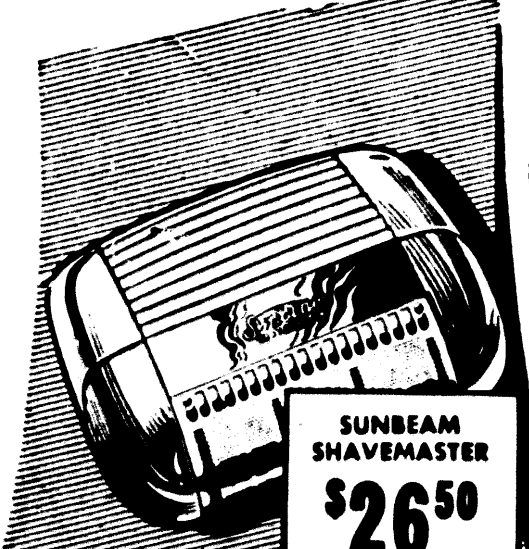
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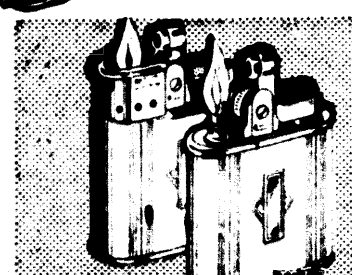


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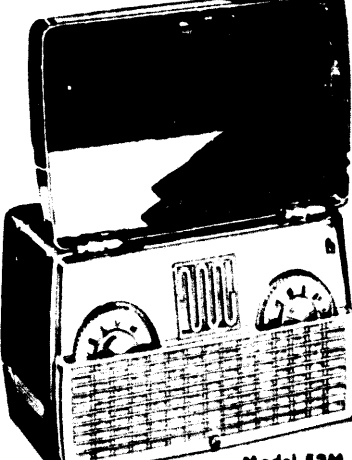
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Way Paved For Oil Settlement Negotiations

Britain, Iran Resume Diplomatic Relations

LONDON, Dec. 5 —UP—Britain and Iran Saturday announced the resumption of diplomatic relations and the early opening of negotiations to settle their oil dispute—the cause of their severing relations last year.

The two governments in simultaneous announcements in London and Tehran said they "will exchange ambassadors without delay."

"They will thereafter proceed at the earliest mutually agreed moment to negotiate a settlement of the oil dispute which has recently clouded relations between them and thus to complete restoration of their traditional friendship," the announcement said.

However, in Tehran the powerful Iranian religious leader Ayatollah Kashani protested the action and declared a "day of mourning." He said that the United States had forced Iran to agree to resumption of Anglo-Iranian relations under the threat of cutting off the "niggardly" American aid.

Kashani ordered his followers to wear black arm bands in protest against the action taken by Premier Azollah Zehedi's government. British officials said they were not worried by the Moslem Mullah's action, but pointed out he has great prestige among Iranians.

The Moslem leader was very influential under the regime of former Premier Mohammed Mossadegh, who is now on trial on charges of treason.

The British and Iranians broke diplomatic relations on Oct. 22, 1952 amid riots and violent demonstrations by Mossadegh's followers.

Mossadegh's government nationalized Iran's oil resources and facilities and confiscated the extensive Anglo-Iranian Oil Co. holdings. This led to a hot dispute and Mossadegh severed relations with the British.

Ellender Urges

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U. S. technical assistance efforts are a summing throughout the world.

"Some of the projects I inspected," he said, "are undoubtedly sound and will prove beneficial. Others are completely unrealistic and unreasonable and beyond the ability of the local peoples to absorb and utilize."

The Point Four technical assistance program for aid to underdeveloped nations got started in 1949. Ellender's trip took him to 21 nations in Africa and South Asia, to Australia, New Zealand and other parts of the world.

His report to the Senate committee was split into three parts, one dealing with the technical assistance program, one with the U. S. Information Agency (USIA) and one with diplomatic and consular activities abroad.

He recommended an end to all USIA activities in New Zealand and Australia on the ground that "these nations are pro-American to the core." Calling for a re-examination of USIA press operations, he said:

"I refer particularly to those areas where USIA provides news items to local publications who could obtain the same information by subscribing to international wire services." He said the agency should "take steps to terminate publication of U. S.-sponsored magazines, newspapers and the like wherever possible."

Ellender recommended adoption of an omnibus foreign aid authorization bill, one which repeals all previous acts and which "should define in clear and unequivocal terms the components of economic, technical and military aid."

He added: "I recommend that, under no circumstances, should economic aid—either direct or in the form of capital investment—be permitted to continue under the guise of technical assistance. Economic aid should be discontinued."



SHAMBLES—The C. G. Bryant home in Rocky Branch was left in shambles by a twister which moved through the community shortly after five o'clock Saturday afternoon. (Staff photo by Duffy Davis).

Special Program Monday On WAC-WAF Recruits

In conjunction with Pearl Harbor Day, the U. S. Army and Air Force will present a special WAC-WAF recruiting program here Monday. The program, which is designed to acquaint area women with women's branches of the military, will be climaxed Monday afternoon with a TV style show.

Two members of the WAC and two members of the WAF will model the uniforms worn by their respective branches of the service. As each appears, she will answer for television some of the questions most frequently asked of WAC-WAF recruiters. A special film will also be shown.

Throughout Monday and Tuesday the service women will be stationed at the local Army and Air Force recruiting station, to interview applicants and answer any questions women may have regarding a career in the Army or Air Force.

WAC Lt. Laverne Wachuta, who will be in charge of the program, has urged all interested persons to contact the recruiting team. The WAC and WAF, she said, offer women security, good paying jobs, an opportunity for travel, education, and technical training, and an opportunity to serve their country.

"Considering housing, board, clothing allowances, medical and dental care, and pay," the blonde lieutenant continued, "the WAC or WAF recruit receives the equivalent of \$300. Also, college senior or graduates without professional experience can apply directly for

Good Fellows'

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leave," which is a place where there are many families who, unless Good Fellows aid, will face a dreary Christmas. This one is as follows:

"Dear Good Fellows: I am mother of two small children. Expecting another. My husband and I are not living together for some time, so if you could help me have a good Christmas for my babies I am sure God will bless you. My children are four and three years of age. We will be glad of anything. They need clothes pretty bad. May God bless you all for the good things you are doing."

Christmas is getting close. We have only a few days left now and we need as much as \$3,000 to make any showing at all for those who are so needy. That is why we urge everyone to aid. May we have it and as soon as possible? We thank you.

FBI Agents Seek Missing Ransom Money In N. O.

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—FBI agents visited a New Orleans bar today on an anonymous tip that a man would pass part of the missing Bobby Greenlease kidnap money for circulation in New Orleans.

The man did not appear. The FBI declined comment. Agents went to the bar and told the bartender what to do in the event a man with a light tan briefcase turned up as the phone caller said he would.

The tipster made identical calls to the bartender and to newspapers, and newspaper reporters were sitting in the bar as the wait began. The tip said the contact man would walk into the bar, sit at the fifth stool from either end of the bar and place the briefcase on the bar.

He was to say: "Give me a bottle of Budweiser." After getting the beer, he was to say: "This is St. Louis beer."

No man answering the description given by the anonymous telephone caller appeared at the bar. FBI agents still are searching for \$300,000 of the \$600,000 ransom money paid by the father of Bobby Greenlease after the six-year-old boy was kidnapped and killed by Carl Austin Hall and Mrs. Bonnie Brown Heady.

Hall and Mrs. Heady have been sentenced to die in Missouri's gas chamber for the murder. Today's tip followed by two weeks a report that the FBI questioned an inmate of parish prison about the missing money. A prisoner who said he was questioned by the FBI denied knowing anything about the money. A federal prisoner who told the FBI that the New Orleans prisoner was connected with the case was charged at St. Paul, Minn., with giving a false statement to the FBI.

Crap Shooting In Court Legal, If Game Not Banked

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 5—UP—Crap shooting—even in a courtroom—"would be perfectly legal" providing the game wasn't banked, a criminal district judge ruled. And on the basis of the ruling, eight persons Saturday planned to seek return of two confiscated dice tables and \$4,137 taken in a raid by state police at Perez's Restaurant and Cocktail Lounge on Airline Highway.

Jefferson Parish Criminal Judge Leo McCune listened to the evidence in the trial of the eight persons charged with gambling.

Then he ruled that the state law is specific—gambling is not a violation of the state law unless the "house" or someone is "banking" the game as a business or for a profit.

Or as he said: "You could start shooting craps right here in this courtroom, and if no one was banking the game, it would be perfectly legal."

He ruled the state failed to prove that any of the eight persons or the house banked the game and he found them innocent.

New Discovery To Benefit Anemics

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 5—UP—Vitamin B-12 inhaled through the nose promises excellent relief for pernicious anemia sufferers, a Henry Ford hospital hematologist reported Saturday. Dr. Raymond W. Monto of Detroit said breathing the vitamin, in much the same manner a cold victim uses a steam inhaler eliminates problems arising from taking B-12 either as a pill or by injection.

Italy, Yugoslavia Plan To Withdraw Border Soldiers

ROME, Dec. 5—UP—Yugoslavia and Italy agreed Saturday to withdraw their troops from the borders of tense Trieste, leading to the hope the seven-year-old dispute over the free territory may soon be settled peacefully.

The Italian foreign office announced that the agreement was reached Saturday in a conference between Italian Premier Giuseppe Pella and Yugoslav Minister to Italy Pavle Gregoric.

The withdrawal also was announced by a communique issued by the Yugoslav government in Belgrade. The Yugoslavs said Pella and Gregoric met for 45 minutes and agreed to start the withdrawal as quickly as possible and to complete it rapidly. The foreign office also said that Italy would lift its ban on the exports of strategic materials to Yugoslavia as soon as the troop withdrawal is completed.

The Italian communique said the two governments are "in accord" on an immediate, simultaneous, rapid withdrawal of their troops along the territory's frontiers.

The United States, Britain and France expect to get Italy and Yugoslavia at a five-power conference soon to settle the Trieste issue.

The Allies were said by informed sources in Rome to be recommending a split of the disputed territory between Italy and Yugoslavia. The troop withdrawal will remove much of the tension created by the dispute and is a long step toward some settlement.

Italian troops first moved up to the border last August when Pella's government interpreted reports from Yugoslavia as a threat by Yugoslav President Tito to seize Zone B of the Trieste territory. On Oct. 8 the United States and



HOUSING AUTHORITY GIVES CHECKS TO OFFICIALS—Depicted above is Mayor John E. Coon, and Sheriff Bailey Grant receiving checks from the Monroe Housing Authority in voluntary payment in lieu of taxes, which are presented by Ira Cagle Sr., chairman of the housing authority.

Southern Journal Carries Review By Monroe Teacher

The current issue of "The Southern Economic Journal" carries a book review by Dr. W. R. Hammond, head of Northeast State's department of liberal arts and social sciences. The work is a critical analysis of "A History of Economic Thought" by John Fred Bell.

Co-publishers of the periodical are The Southern Economic Association and the University of North Carolina.

"In his comprehensive study of economic thought," Dr. Hammond says, "Professor Bell follows the path of historical evaluation, considering the various writers and schools of thought as they occur in chronological sequence."

The author of the volume has attempted to weave the complex threads of intellectual history and political and economic development.

Bell succeeds in giving an understandable analysis of scope and balance, the reviewer asserts. The work deals with the beginnings of economics from Biblical times and continues to the main currents of present economic thought.

Strength of the volume is enhanced by evaluations or summaries at the conclusion of each chapter. These unify the premises and realities of fundamental principles involved.

Dr. Hammond describes the book as a "work of high attainment in objective analysis and critical interpretation."

Thieves Get \$2,000, Leave New Lock

DALLAS, Dec. 5—UP—When Harry Rosenthal tried to open the front door of the Farmer's Meat Market Saturday to go to work, the key wouldn't fit. Rosenthal soon found out why.

Safecrackers had broken open his safe and departing had replaced the lock on the front door with a new one. The safecrackers escaped with \$2,000 of which \$1,600 was cash.

BIG FILES COUNTER CHARGES HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Dec. 5—UP—Singer Bing Crosby, who is being sued for more than a million dollars by three persons injured in an auto accident, has charged the driver of the other car, not he, was under the influence of liquor. The crooner's counter-accusation, filed in Superior Court, charged city fireman Frank R. Verdugo, 32, with the same counts filed by Verdugo against him. He said the fireman was intoxicated and that his faculties were impaired due to improper rest and sleep.

W. M. High School Football Player Injured In Wreck

Malcom Bass, 16-year-old, West Monroe High School football player, received severe bruises late Saturday when he was pinned between two trucks in the 1400 block of Cypress Street in West Monroe.

Driver of the vehicle, Fred Regan, 62, Route 1, West Monroe, which sidwiped the Bass truck, was arrested by police officers for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, leaving the scene of an accident, causing a wreck and personal injury.

West Monroe police officers said that Bass was attempting to enter a truck belonging to Scott Flower Shop when the Regan truck sidwiped the vehicle pinning him between the two vehicles.

Bass was employed by Scott Flower Shop.

Mrs. L. F. Wilhite, 307 Slack Street, who was behind Regan in a line of traffic followed him several blocks after he left the accident scene. When Regan pulled into A. L. Sandford's Service Station on Cypress, several blocks from where the accident occurred, she asked the attendant to call the West Monroe police department.

In a matter of minutes officers were at the service station and arrested Regan.

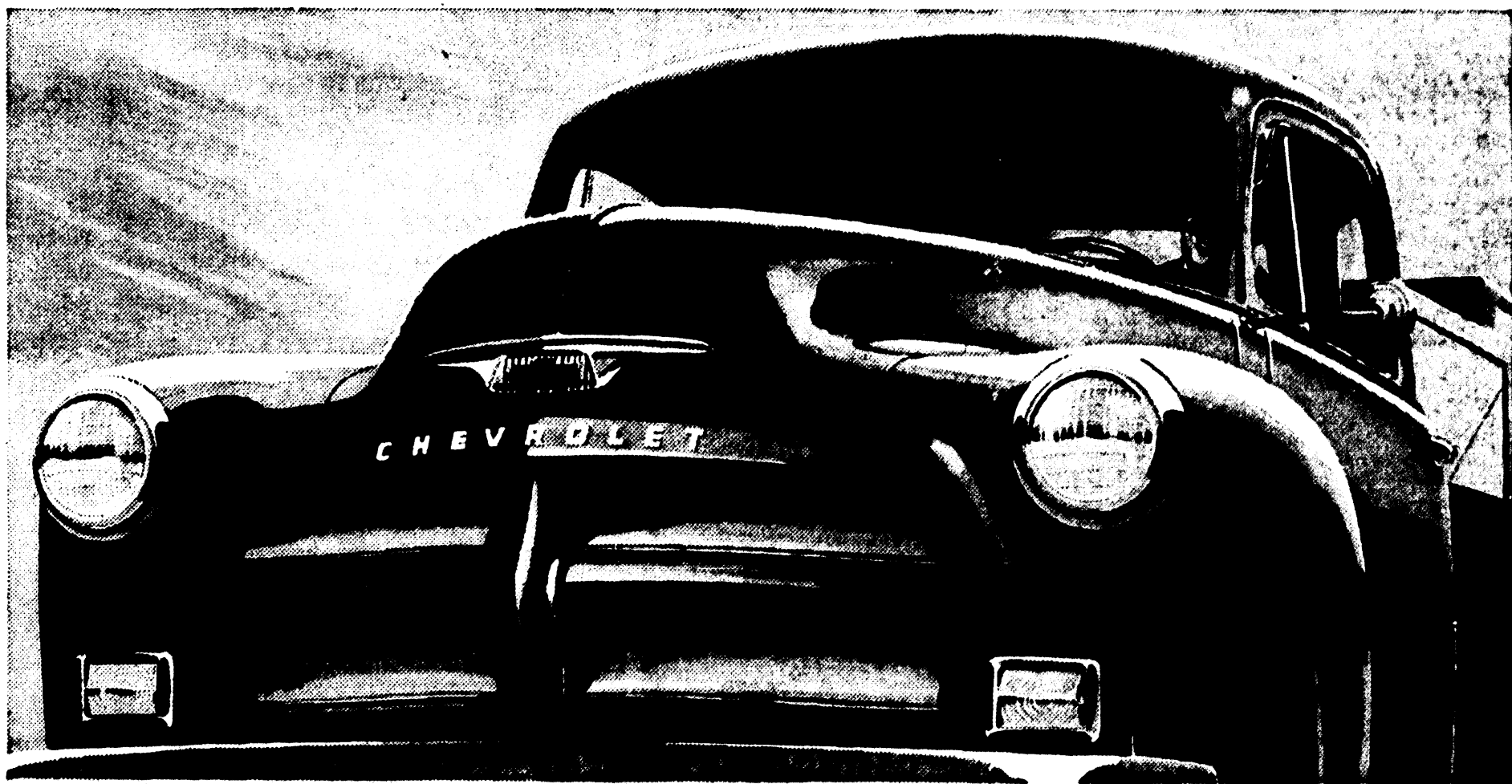
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CITY ZOO GETS NEW "GATOR."—Roy C. Gates of 508 Filhoil is shown above giving Commissioner Wayne Huckaby, "the Catahoula Kid," a four-year-old alligator, which Gates caught while duck hunting along Indian Bayou in Catahoula Parish. (Staff Photo by John Fogleman).

'Gator' Invades Duck Blind, Ends Up In Zoo

By GLORIA KALIL

The Municipal Zoo at Bernstein Park received a new "gator," Friday afternoon. It was donated by Roy C. Gates of 508 Filhoil Street. A week earlier, Gates and his brother, Glen Gates of Shreveport were duck hunting in a mud blind

along Indian bayou in Catahoula Parish when they saw only the "neck scales" of the alligator as he crawled into the blind.

Excitedly, Gates yelled to his brother to "watch out," and then caught the alligator by the neck and pulled it out of the mud.

"The Catahoula Kid," as the alligator was later named by Gates, lashed his tail from side to side, after being picked up. After the alligator was comfortably nestled in the game pocket of Gates' hunting jacket, "he calmed down," the hunter stated.

The alligator was taken to the Gates garage where he remained for six days until Friday afternoon when Gates presented it to Commissioner Wayne Huckaby at the city zoo.

"The Kid," is approximately four years old and has a nice set of molars to prove his age. He is apparently in good health and gives promise of growing to be the prize attraction at the zoo.

Cataclysm Needed To Free Satellite Nations—Hoover

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—UP—Former President Herbert Hoover said Saturday it will take a "great cataclysm" to free Communist satellite countries from their Red masters.

Testifying before a special House committee which is investigating Russia's "illegal seizure" of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania in 1940, Mr. Hoover said it would be virtually impossible to free the satellites by negotiating with Russia.

It will require some "great world cataclysm from which those people may rise again," Mr. Hoover told the packed hearing room. "That is the only hope I see," he said.

The 73-year-old former President was followed to the stand by a refugee, Roman Catholic priest, told of six months of imprisonment in Lithuania during which time the Russians "pistol-whipped, slugged, kicked and eye-gouged" him until he collapsed.

The priest said he was kept as long as 20 hours in a room filled with ice. Other witnesses told how the Reds destroyed all forms of religion as their first act in occupying the Baltic states.

Mr. Hoover, who visited the Baltic states in 1919 in connection with postwar famine relief and again in 1938, said only the presence of American and British naval vessels in Baltic waters discouraged the Russians from taking over those countries after World War I. Conditions Terrible

When he first visited the Baltic countries at the direction of the late President Wilson, he found those countries in "terrible condition," Mr. Hoover said.

"The people were starving," he said. "There were 200,000 deaths in Riga, Latvia, from starvation alone."

He said the countries bounced back economically, however, and made such "astonishing progress" they became a source of embarrassment to Russia. When he revisited Latvia and Estonia in 1938, Mr. Hoover said, he found that both those countries had established sound, free economies.

Contrast Drawn
"The contrast with the state of the Russian economy was so great," Mr. Hoover said, that thousands of Russians tried to escape into the Baltic countries. The Russian government finally fenced in its border and stationed soldiers to stop the border-jumping, he said.

The Russians paved the way to seizing the Baltic states by Stalin's pact with Hitler, Mr. Hoover said. Since then, he said, the Russians have moved Baltic peoples in "systematic migration" to Siberia and in turn have resettled Russians along the Baltic sea.

"They are trying to extinguish any racial spark that might be alive in those peoples," he said.

Jockey Jailed In Grocery Holdup

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 5.—UP—Eleven years took jockey Wendell Eads from the winner's circle at the Fair Grounds to a jail cell in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

At 18, Eads was one of the best jockeys in the nation. He was a contract rider for Calumet Farms. Then he put on some extra poundage and that started his downhill slide.

Last year he was a free lance rider at the Fair Grounds. At the age of 30, Eads was an exercise boy.

Saturday, he was behind bars at Mt. Vernon, charged with his brother, Howard, in the \$1,400 stickup of a grocery.

Jes' Ramblin'

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give hearty support to this great project."

The local Bell Telephone Company is constantly amazing with its expansion. Its latest announcement concerns the expenditure of nearly a million dollars in this parish for expansion that is required. The continued demand for telephones here illustrates the growth of the Twin Cities. During the past five years here there has been a net gain of 8,325 phones. New applications in the Twin Cities in 1935 have averaged monthly 263.

Not so far off in the past, once the goal of 5,000 telephones for the Twin Cities was set and just look at the number now! There are more than 20,000 phones in use in Monroe and West Monroe today.

Members of the Retired Teachers Association will meet December 12 at 2 p. m. at 616 North Fifth Street, Monroe, when at the close of a business session, there will be held an informal reception for Dr. and Mrs. Paul Augustine, of Daytona Beach, Fla., who are en route to Mexico and California.

Dr. Augustine is national director of the southern section of the National Retired Teachers' Association.

Miss Kate Perkins urges that all members of her group attend. Reports are to be received at the business session from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sapp of Monroe, and from leaders of the association who live in Ruston.

Supt. S. W. Jackson, of the Ouachita Valley Vocational School, announces that applications for admission to the class in practical nursing are now being received. The next class is planned to open January 11.

To qualify a person must be at least 18 years of age and not over 50 years, in good health and an American citizen. Further information is to be had at the school, Black street, West Monroe, or by phoning at 3-3491.

Happy Birthday!
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Igor Gouzenko To Be Interviewed In Secret By Senators

Former Russian Code Clerk Recalls Night Of Terror In Canada

By WARREN ROGERS JR.
WASHINGTON (AP)—Igor Gouzenko, as he is known, has been interviewed by the Senate Intelligence Committee. His testimony about Red fifth columns in North America, must recall a night of terror in 1945 when he could convince no one that such a thing existed.

The State Department yesterday asked the Canadian government to arrange an interview between Gouzenko and Sen. Jenner (R-Ind) and Robert Morris, chairman and counsel, respectively, of the Senate internal security subcommittee.

Gouzenko has been living in Canada under an alias and with police protection since he was a Russian code clerk at the Soviet Embassy in Ottawa, he exposed a Red spy ring operating in Canada in 1945 with contacts in the United States.

In a note to the Canadian Embassy, the State Department emphasized that Jenner's subcommittee would abide by Canada's decision as to what part of Gouzenko's testimony, if any, could be made public.

Accepted also were Canada's other terms: (1) that the interview

must be under Canadian auspices, and (2) that Gouzenko must be willing to risk his police-guarded security by testifying.

The State Department said it has no official word on the latter. But in an announcement, which indicated the meeting might already have been arranged, it said: "In view of the necessity of protecting Mr. Gouzenko's security, the arrangements concerning the time and place of the meeting cannot of course be made public."

If he read that, Gouzenko perhaps thought back to a different time and place. Back to Sept. 5, 1945, when he was not a naturalized Canadian with a craving for anonymity. Back to when he was Igor Gouzenko, a native citizen of Russia and, at 26, a Red army lieutenant especially trained to decipher codes.

The picture of him then is dramatically painted in "The Report of the Royal Commission," a 732-page paper-backed volume published by Canada June 27, 1946.

The report summed up the hearings in early 1946 of a royal commission before which, Gouzenko

was star witness and accuser. More than a dozen Canadians testified. Some of them were later convicted in the courts on espionage charges.

Gouzenko, the report says, had been having a struggle with himself. He had been ordered back to Russia after serving two years at the Ottawa embassy. He did not want to go. He wanted to live in Canada with his wife and child. For the first time, he said, he had discovered freedom—in the store windows full of things anybody could buy, and in elections where more than one candidate stood for office.

So he began dog-eared some of the documents in the files of the Russian Embassy—damning evidence of a spy ring involving atomic secrets and Canadian government employees. About 7 p.m. on Sept. 5, 1945, he picked up the papers he had marked and walked out of the embassy.

Then, says the report, he went to a newspaper with his story and, the next day, to various official offices, but "he was unable . . . to

have anyone accept him seriously."

The report does not name the newspaper or the offices.

What was he to do? He knew the embassy would be looking for him. He went back to his apartment with his wife and son. As he neared the apartment house, he thought he saw two figures lurking in the shadows across the street.

Inside, he sat quietly and tried to think. There was a knock on the door. He did not answer it. Perhaps, if he made no noise, they would go away.

But then, as children will, his son scrambled across the floor. The man at the door spoke. Gouzenko recognized the voice of Under Lt. Lavrentev, a driver for the embassy's military attaché.

Gouzenko reacted instinctively. He went out the back door to a balcony onto which opened other apartments. He begged his neighbors to care for his son if anything happened to him and his wife.

One neighbor, a woman whose husband was away for the night, took the Gouzenkos in. Another, a Royal Canadian Air Force non-

commissioned officer, got out his bicycle and rode for the police.

The Canadian Mounties arrived but the Russian driver had disappeared. They set up a watch, telling Gouzenko to leave the back-room light burning in his neighbor's apartment unless something went wrong. If the light went out, the Mounties were to come up from the street and investigate.

Around midnight four men knocked on Gouzenko's empty apartment. Getting no answer, they broke the lock of the door and entered. The RCAF man heard the noise and sounded the alarm. The Mounties closed in.

They found the Russians, including the head of the NKVD (Soviet secret police) unit in Canada, ransacking Gouzenko's apartment. The bashed-in lock was on the floor.

From then on, Gouzenko and his family—there is now another child—were under the Mounties' protective guard.

The Soviet Embassy sent the apartment house \$5 to pay for the lock.



HERE ARE YOUR CHRISTMAS TREES— Optimist club members are shown above unloading Christmas trees which they will place on sale in order to carry on their extensive welfare work for boys. All the money netted from the sale will go to finance the Little Bigger League, the prizes given in oratorical contests and other kindred projects. These trees are for sale on Louisville avenue and on Cypress street in West Monroe. Optimist club members will take orders for trees now and will deliver them at a later date.

India And U. S. In Sharp Clash At UN Meeting

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Dec. 5 (AP)—The U. N. Political Committee averted a showdown between India and the Western powers on future action on the Korean situation. Delegates agreed unanimously to adjourn until Monday so compromise efforts could be made over the weekend.

Leslie Knox Munro of New Zealand called for adjournment suddenly after backers of the opposing views stated their cases.

In brief, here were the opposing sides:

V. K. Krishna Menon of India urged the delegates to accept his resolution recessing the Assembly next Tuesday until Feb. 9 with a provision that the president of the Assembly, Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, also of India, could reconvene the Assembly at any time for "good and sound reasons."

Mario de Pimentel Brandao of Brazil urged support of a Brazilian resolution, favored by the United States and its 15 Allies in Korea. This would postpone consideration of the Korean question and request the president of the Assembly to reconvene the present Assembly whenever a majority of the 60 U. N. delegates felt that developments in Korea required consideration.

The quarrel between India and the West—mainly between India and the United States—revolves around the Western insistence that a majority of the delegates must approve a call to reconvene the Assembly.

Persons close to Mrs. Pandit have said she regards that provision as a lack of confidence in her judgment. They have reported she indirectly sent word to Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., chief American delegate, that if the Indian resolution was approved she would not reconvene the Assembly until she had canvassed the majority.

Lodge and Menon conferred after the committee voted 55-0 to recess until 10:30 a.m. Monday. Persons familiar with their movements said this was the first time they had met for a face-to-face conference in several weeks. Both talked with considerable animation and with frequent references to copies of the opposing resolutions.

Menon said later he believed a compromise could be worked out.

Lodge said he would remain in New York throughout the weekend for work on the problem.

The time set by Menon in his resolution would call the Assembly back in the last stage of the armistice procedure dealing with repatriation of prisoners.

India has served notice her assignment as chairman of the Neutral Nations Repatriation Commission will expire during that period and she feels the Assembly must decide what the U. N. will do with the prisoners in the event there is no peace conference.

Brandao opposed fixing a date. He said that if the Assembly did not make a rigid date it would give both parties at Panmunjom ample time to agree on arrangements.

The Assembly is driving toward adjournment some time Tuesday.

7 Persons Hurt In Heavy Storm At Clarksdale

CLARKSDALE, Miss., Dec. 5 (AP)—Seven persons were hurt tonight in a violent windstorm which struck a farming section 10 miles west of here.

Radio operator James Pou at the highway patrol headquarters in Batesville said two houses were demolished and quite a bit of "property damage."

The injured were brought to a hospital here. Extent of their injuries were not immediately determined, attendants said.

State C. D. Equipment Readied

State Civil Defense equipment will be sent to tornado-hit sections of Louisiana and Mississippi if it is needed. A. B. Clarkson, Monroe district Civil Defense director, reported last night.

State Civil Defense equipment including a rescue truck, mobile communications units and lighting plants was placed on a standby basis last night by Reese M. Kolb, state Civil Defense deputy director, Clarkson said after contacting state headquarters.

Commenting on the reports of persons trapped in Vicksburg theaters, Clarkson pointed out that classes to train rescue squads will be started in Monroe soon under the direction of Clay Johnson, state Civil Defense field representative in Northeast Louisiana and a qualified rescue instructor.

"The tornadoes which have hit our nation this year and the lessons of World War II show that Louisiana communities should take advantage of the Civil Defense program to train citizens for service on rescue squads," Clarkson declared.

The Civil Defense district director made a survey of the Northeast Louisiana tornado area last night to determine Civil Defense aid needed.

Twister Strikes

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making it difficult to assess the situation.

"Many cars were hit by bricks and debris," Ray said. "It's so bad you just can't tell yet how many were killed or injured."

The tornado smote several other sections in the historic Civil War city of 28,000.

"You would have to see it to believe it," the Red Cross reported. "There are definitely deaths and injuries, but we cannot possibly say how many at this time. The hospitals are rushed and all available ambulances have been called out."

The Red Cross was struggling to assemble information and mobilize its own and city's disaster forces.

Vicksburg on the bluff was a panicky city without lights or local communications as this reporter arrived from Jackson, Miss. First reports were transmitted out of the city via emergency long-distance circuits.

The rush of calls soon jammed these lines and reports were relayed by the Mississippi highway patrol short wave and amateur operators.

(Other tornadoes were reported Saturday night in Arkansas and Louisiana. Areas hit were reported to be near Montrose, Spencer and Dermott, Ark., and near Sterling and Homer, La.)

(On Thursday tornadoes killed nine persons in Louisiana and injured about 65 in Louisiana and Mississippi.)

The tornado appeared to have gouged out a 300-yard long section of the Vicksburg business district, swarming with shoppers despite the black twilight and heavy rains ushering in the twister.

Cracking power lines, ripped from their poles, started several fires. Fire companies were called from as far away as Jackson, 45 miles to the east.

But two hours after the storm struck the fires appeared under control.

"So far, we're still working in the dark, but electric power is gradually being restored through the city," reported disaster chairman Newman.

All the injured, he said, were "being ably handled at our four local hospitals."

Mayor Pat Kelly said that one child and one man were trapped in the debris of the business section.

"We can talk to the man and are working to get him out," he said.

Early reports did not indicate whether Vicksburg's court house, famed Confederate museum, was harmed by the tornado.

Rocky Branch

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to Monroe in two automobiles. There, the rescuers were faced with a blocked roadway that led to the splintered Bryant residence.

For more than 100 yards trees, many two and one-half feet thick, were stretched across the road.

A Morning World newsman and photographer climbed through the obliteration to reach the spot where the Bryant home stood before the twister struck. A driving rain pelted the strewn contents of the Bryant home. The only sign of life left was two shivering cur dogs that crouched around an upset refrigerator.

One eyewitness account of the Talton community destruction came from Willie Lee Talton whose house was considerably damaged but remained on its foundation. A nearby residence, almost in the center of the tornado's path, was wrecked.

Talton said he was in a store in front of the wrecked house when he saw the twister's approach. "When I saw it coming, I ran for my house but couldn't make it," Talton said. He said he prayed that "God would take care of my family and lived for a cult."

Talton said he couldn't squeeze in the cult, so he rolled over in a ditch and "watched the destruction of DeWitt Talton's home." He said he had a "good view of it all."

No official list of homes damaged could be secured from the Talton area.

Late last night five residences destroyed in the Spencer - Ouachita City area were identified as those of Neil Jenny, D. T. Snell, Lonnie Wells, T. H. McDougall and O. B. Thomas. Others may be added to that list after a survey.

The list of injured from the C. B. Bryant home was: Mr. and Mrs. Bryant, their son, Sam Bryant, Mrs. Ouida Bryant, Mrs. and Mrs. Alea Bryant, Millam Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Miller.

Residents along the path of the tornado were thrown into darkness when the twister cut power lines as it carved its path of destruction. Crews of the rural electrification headquarters in Farmerville were busy last night in an effort to restore the service. Driving rains hampered this operation, but one crewman said electricity would probably be restored by this morning.

Three gas wells "and maybe more" were reported damaged in the Ouachita City area. Gas company officials were making an effort last night to determine their loss.

Timber damage will run high too. Huge trees and younger saplings were chewed into splinters by the tornado.

There is little doubt that the tornado would have resulted in a major catastrophe had it plowed through more heavily populated areas. Its force was evidently terrific.

Fortunately, however, fate seemed to direct a zig-zag course for the twister as it struck in only the fringe areas of heavier populated sections.

As evidence shows along the tornado's path, its force appeared irresistible. Giant trees were twisted to splinters and tossed around almost as if they were straw. They meshed across country roads and their limbs sailed in every direction.

Red Cross Field Representative J. S. Lamb, from Monroe, was touring the devastation last night with a Red Cross official from Farmerville. Plans to assist the tornado victims were not available.

Once Abandoned Well On Fire

FAYETTE, Ala. (AP)—Natural gas blew out a casing and caught fire at the Shepherd No. 1 well 11 miles southeast of here today.

James L. Duffy of the Alabama Petroleum Corp., owners of the well, said perforations had been made at 2,000 feet and at 3,150 feet and that there was no way of knowing immediately which of

these perforations hit the gas supply.

Duffy said equipment was being brought from Mississippi to fight the fire, being fed by gas under 1,500 pounds of pressure. The fire closed a rural road and was burning fiercely out of control.

The well, formerly known as the Dalton No. 1 White, was drilled in gas wells in the northwest Alabama area. Duffy said the new find "looks like a major gas discovery."

The Shepherd well is in section 21, township 16 south, range 11 west, Fayette County.

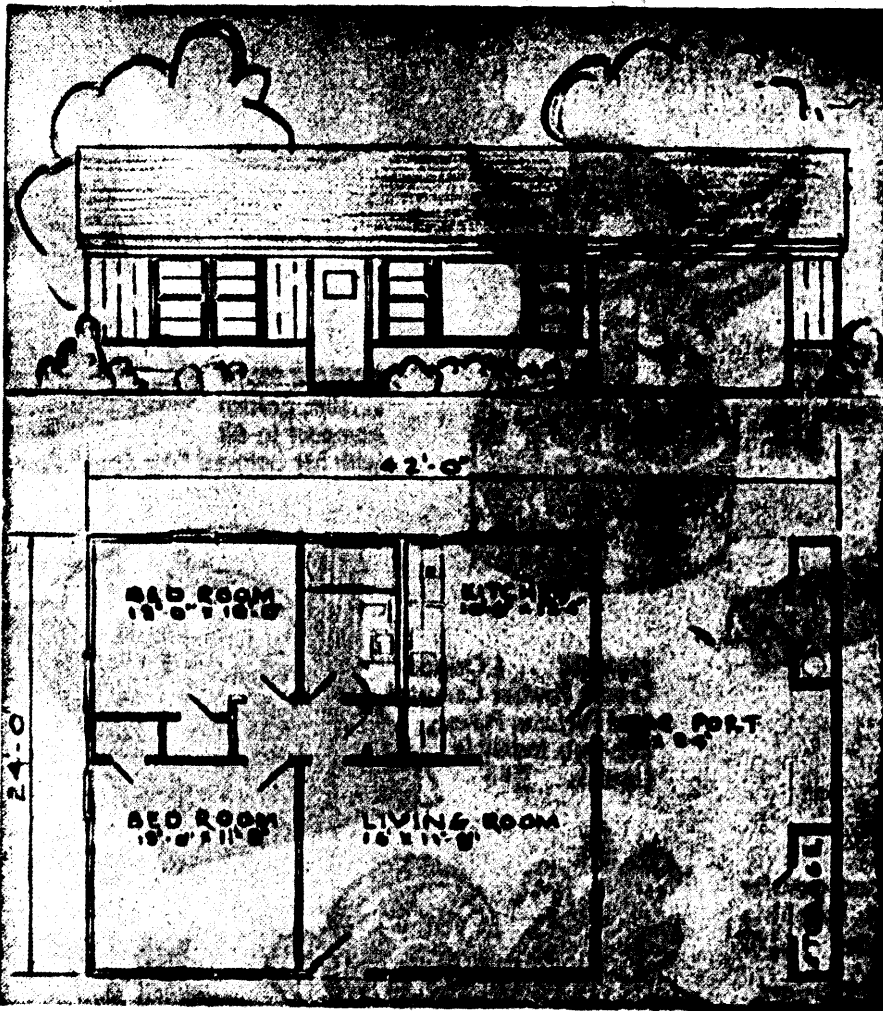
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RETURNING HOME—Sgt. J. W. Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnes of Downsville, is on his way home after serving 12 months in Korea. Sgt. Barnes has served 10 years in the armed forces. He is married to the former Miss Pauline Jordan, also of Downsville.

Ouachita PTA To Have Council In Session Wed.

The Ouachita Parish P.T.A. council will meet Dec. 9, 9:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the Highland School. The National Congress of P.T.A. believes that neither potential nor scientific knowledge can make a nation great; stately souls, not stately buildings, constitute true greatness. Such a realization grows out of a continuing emphasis on moral and spiritual values. In keeping with the season, Mrs. M. L. DeFreese, program chairman will present a panel composed of Rev. Ira Love, Rev. H. B. Dean, Mrs. H. B. McClenahan, Mrs. Jerry Weber, who will discuss "Character and Spiritual Education—Our American Heritage." Members of the audience will be privileged to ask questions.

Mrs. Chester DeCuir will display a publicity scrap book which won superior rating at the state convention, and will review the rules by which all scrap books are compiled. The publicity chairman of the various local units will explain the purposes and functions of publicity committees. Mrs. T. L. Stout, council publicity chairman says, "Continuous expansion of benefits to communities through the P.T.A. depends directly on how well the publicity committee accepts its responsibility and performs its work."

Mrs. F. D. Luton, council president urges each local P.T.A. to send their full quota of representation. At the close of the year a trophy will be awarded for the highest percentage of attendance. The Highland P.T.A. will be hosts on this occasion.

Know Your School Is Urged In Talk By Principal

"Have you ever wondered about what was going on in the school your child is attending? Do the teachers some times do things which do not seem reasonable to you? Are you worried lest your child doesn't know as much as you did when you were in the same grade?" asked Mrs. W. S. Vincent when she spoke to the Sherrouse P.T.A. Thursday night. "The only way," she continued, "to know about your school is to visit the school, read about the changing methods, keep an understanding of what the child and the teacher are working on. Part of the reason for so much concern on the part of parents, is the fact that schools are different today. Teachers do not teach as they did when parents went to school; teachers have learned that boys and girls grow and develop at different levels and the school is constantly trying to find better ways to teach and as they learn they put them into practice."

"In discussing a good school," Mrs. Vincent continued, "that which constitutes a good school in one community might not work so well in another. Schools should be directly related to the community in which they operate. Part of the decision about what makes a good school is what parents want for their schools. Needs and wants are not the same. We must always remember that the problems facing children today are quite different from yours of a generation ago. Ways of meeting these problems must also be different. Sometimes the desires and hopes of parents get in the way of these needs of children. We should agree upon which is more important."

Mrs. Vincent discussed meeting the standards for an approved setup by the state department of education. The regular Sherrouse Parent-Teacher meeting was conducted by the men. Mr. Bob Wing acted as president. He appointed a beautification committee for the landscaping of the school campus with Mrs. John Sherrouse, chairman, assisted

Northeast Louisiana's Civil Defense headquarters will be dedicated Monday with a parade through the Twin Cities, a 30-minute program and public inspection of the building and Civil Defense equipment.

A. B. Clarkson, district director, said that the Pearl Harbor Day event will begin at 2 p.m. with the parade in which some 30 vehicles and approximately 100 persons will participate.

Dedication of the district headquarters at 3 p.m. will feature a talk by Brig. Gen. Francis A. Woolfley, New Orleans, state Civil Defense director, presentation of the keys to the district headquarters to Clarkson by Mayor John Coon, invocation by a member of the clergy and welcome remarks by Clarkson.

At 3:30 p.m. the public is invited to inspect the headquarters at 400 Stone Avenue and the state Civil Defense mobile communications control center and rescue truck which will be parked adjacent to the building.

In addition to the dedication of the district headquarters, Pearl Harbor day emphasis on Civil Defense will be given at the annual Woman of the Year banquet that night in the Virginia Hotel when Mrs. Katherine Howard, deputy administrator of the Federal Civil Defense administration will be principal speaker. The speaking engagement here will be the first appearance in Louisiana for the second-ranking federal Civil Defense official.

Lauding citizens and officials of the 12-parish Northeast Louisiana Civil Defense district for "their awareness of the value of a headquarters," Clarkson declared that the unit will facilitate training of citizens in self-protection techniques and organization of know-how materials and equipment to give us a chance to handle large scale disaster. He also emphasized that state and federal assistance to the 12-parish area in the development of Civil Defense has been made possible by the establishment of the office.

The Civil Defense headquarters building was donated by the city of Monroe with initial financing by the city and Ouachita parish, the district director asserted. "Many public and private organizations have cooperated and state help has been coordinated through the district field representative, Clay Johnson."

Equipment and organizations scheduled to participate in the parade include communications control center, rescue truck, state, Monroe and West Monroe police, Monroe and West Monroe fire departments, National Guard and CAP units. Inter-club council, public officials, Civil Defense volunteers and such Civil Defense services as public affairs, welfare, health transportation, engineering and clergy.

The parade will form at the fairgrounds in West Monroe and move to the district headquarters via Highway 80, Cypress, Woods, Trenton, new bridge, Walnut, Grand, DeSiard, 6th, Layton Avenue and Stone Avenue.

Members of the program committee for the Pearl Harbor Day observance are announced by Clarkson as Mrs. David L. Agnew, assistant district director; Mrs. George Forman, district headquarters executive secretary; Fire Chief H. L. Hales, Monroe; Tom Hicks, West Monroe businessman and Civil Defense official; Johnson and Mrs. Elmer Slagle, district coordinator of women.

Parishes in the district are Caldwell, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Morehouse, Ouachita, Richland, Tensas, Union and West Carroll.

In addition to Woolfley other staff members from state Civil Defense headquarters scheduled to participate in the program are Reece M. Kolb, deputy director; and Mrs. Marion H. Porch, state Civil Defense coordinator of women.

The Fifth District Medical and the Ouachita Parish Medical Societies will hold a joint meeting in Monroe Thursday, Dec. 10. Dr. Mortimer Rappaport, secretary-treasurer, has announced. The meeting will be at the Virginia Hotel.

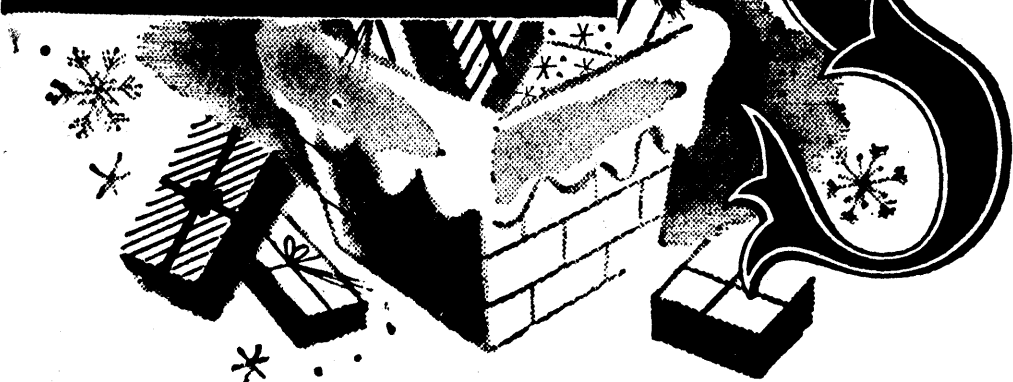
A scientific program will begin at 6 p.m. in the Cameo Room, with Dr. Jack G. Kerr and Dr. LeRoy J. Kleinsasser of Dallas, Tex. The election of officers will be held immediately following this meeting.

Dinner for members of the societies and their wives will be served at 8 p.m. in the hall room. Current officers for the organization are Dr. Forrest Terrill, Lake Providence, president, and Dr. Raphael of Monroe, secretary-treasurer.

ed by Mrs. Shelby Cags, Mrs. Feham Cannon, Mrs. J. C. Dana, and Mrs. Dell Jackson. Haskell Fairchild, acting as treasurer, reported a substantial amount realized from the carnival. Parents were urged to keep their dogs at home for safety measures. The room count gave the fourth grade taught by Mrs. Dewey Simmons the largest number of parents present.

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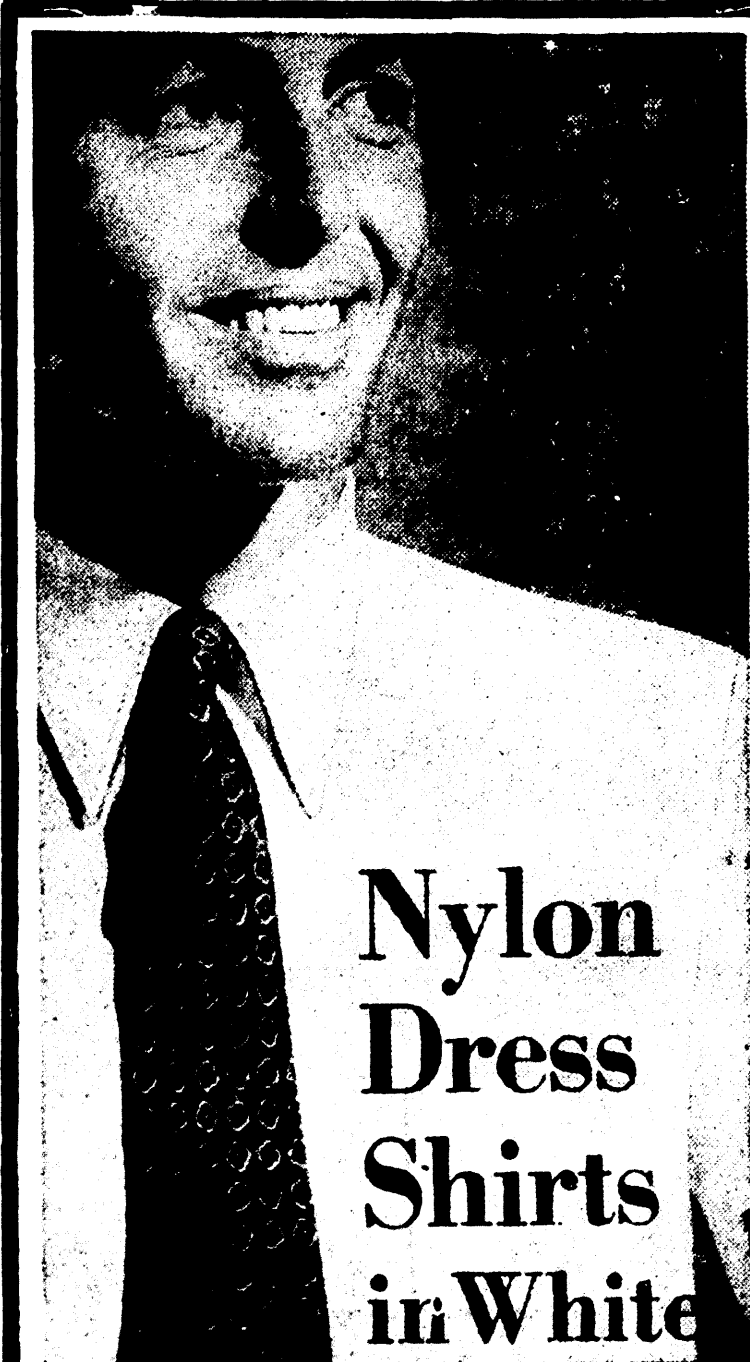


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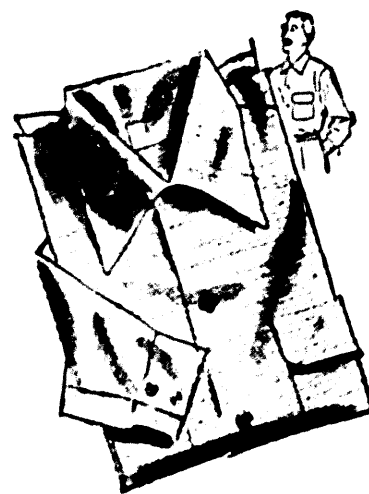
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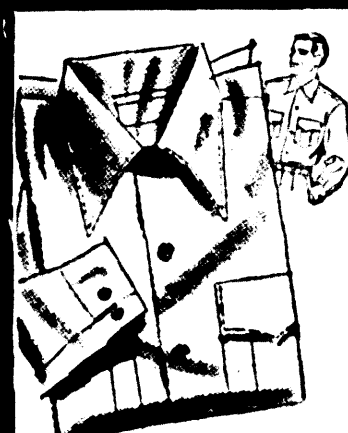
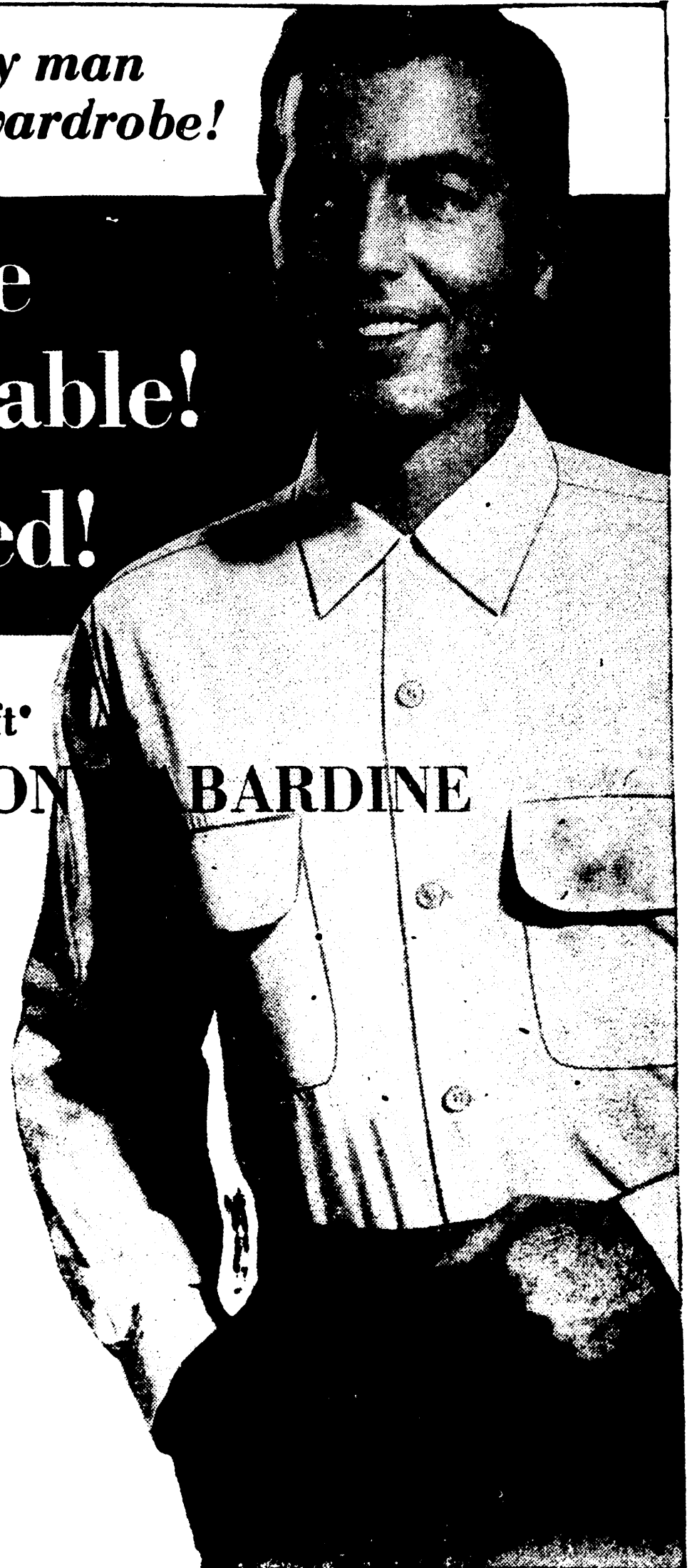
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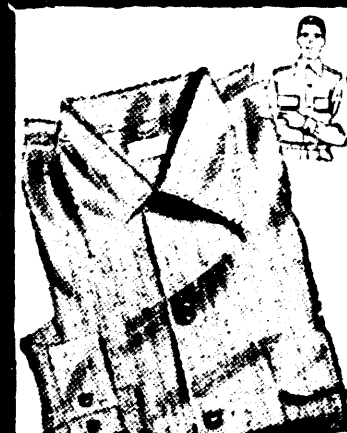


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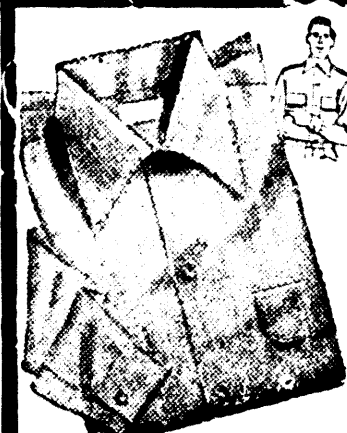


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SWIFT AND COMPANY OFFICIAL—B. J. Joiner, manager of the New Orleans territory which includes Monroe, will be here for the open house Tuesday and Wednesday of the local sales plant. The open house is being held so that patrons and friends of the company may view the recently enlarged and completely renovated plant, and especially the refrigerator department.



VIEW ONE OF MANY FINE CARCASSES—One of the employees of Swift and Company is shown viewing one of the many fine carcasses in the recently enlarged and renovated refrigerator units in the local plant. The plant will be open for public inspection Tuesday and Wednesday. (Staff photo by John Fogleman.)

Ike And Winnie

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ministers meeting calls for consideration there of a later Big Five meeting with Communist China. The United States does not want the five-power conference to complicate the Berlin meeting—which it would prefer to confine to German and Austrian problems.

It was learned that West German Chancellor, Konrad Adenauer, whose views are being consulted on the ministers meeting, wants it held in the Allied control center in the American sector of Berlin.

The Americans are pushing for the earliest possible date in January for the meeting.

Other volatile world problems such as Trieste and Pakistan were put aside this morning to concentrate on the reply to Russia. However, the conference was heartened by the Italo-Yugoslav agreement to withdraw their troops from the Trieste borders.

Reliable sources said the Big Three foreign ministers are in agreement on inviting Italy and Yugoslavia to a five power meeting. The invitation probably will be sent from Paris soon.

The Churchill-Eisenhower differences over the Soviet center on the basic question of whether Russia had a "new look" or just an old dress with a new hem line. This emphasized the difficulties facing the Big Three in obtaining unity of action.

There also were growing irritations between the British and the French delegation, headed by premier Joseph Laniel.

Mr. Eisenhower, Churchill and Laniel met at five p.m.—7 p.m. CST—for their second session of the four day conference.

The French believed they were being snubbed by Churchill, and there were reports that Churchill would much rather have met Eisenhower alone, leaving Laniel, as well as the foreign ministers at home.

But, despite the difficulties, some progress was made.

Foreign Ministers John Foster Dulles, Anthony Eden and Georges Bidault agreed in principle to meet the Russians in a four-power meeting if there are iron-clad assurances German and Austrian problems will be discussed. Mr. Eisenhower has insisted on these assurances.

The three ministers met for one hour and 45 minutes Saturday morning, starting at 11 o'clock — 9 a.m. CST—and it was announced after the meeting that they had reached partial agreement on a note to Russia answering the Soviet suggestion for a Berlin meeting. The note to Russia was the chief

topic discussed by the three ministers at their second meeting in the plush Mid-Ocean Club headquarters of the conference.

Agreement was reached "on a number of points" in a draft reply to the Russian proposal for the meeting, newsmen were told after the session.

Other points, still at issue, were referred back to a drafting committee of experts, an announcement said.

The experts in turn will report back to the foreign ministers.

White House Press Secretary James Hagerty, who reported to American correspondents on Saturday's foreign ministers' meeting, refused to give details of the progress made on the note to the Kremlin.

Authoritative sources said, however, that the foreign ministers agreed on sending the note, accepting in principle the Russian proposal.

Russia specified no meeting date and the foreign ministers were said not to decide on a specific time Saturday. However, mid-January has been proposed by Allied sources as a date for the meeting.

One of the main points yet to be decided is when the note shall be issued. It was indicated it would not be made public before the end of the conference here Monday.

Swift And Company To Hold Open House Ceremonies Tuesday

When the local sales office of Swift and Company opens its doors Tuesday and Wednesday for open house ceremonies, officers from throughout the south, and particularly this area, will be on hand for the celebration.

Duncan M. Smith, Sr., manager of the local plant, has announced that some 20-odd officials will attend the local open house. These will range from the head of the New Orleans territory, B. J. Joiner, to managers of surrounding plants.

The open house is being held from 3 to 8 p. m. on the two days so that the patrons and friends of the company may view the recently enlarged and renovated plant, and particularly the cold storage department. Recently completed the new addition makes possible the enlarging of plant operations and storage of a larger line of Swift products. Tuesday the open house will be for the white friends of the company, while the next day will be exclusively for the colored people.

Slated to attend the observances are: J. J. McCraney, assistant dis-

trict manager; G. B. Cathey, district provision man; A. R. Dormer, district beef specialist; J. L. Simmons, district sausage man; R. R. Barnes, district hotel and restaurant man; J. B. Church, district soap man; Jack Skeels, district cut meats man; L. W. Forbes, district refinery man; L. C. Henry, district canned foods man; Jim Bush of the canned foods department; M. M. Williams, district soap man; W. M. Hansen, district margarine man; L. J. Pandolfi, district superintendent; J. L. Gentry, district auditor; R. A. Fincher, refinery manager, Harvey, La.; E. M. Justiss, manager of the Fort Worth, Tex., plant; J. P. Agernton, head of the provision department, Fort Worth plant; Ted Belke, beef, lamb, and veal specialist, Fort

Worth; K. W. Bruder, plant manager at Lake Charles; M. K. Merriau, head of the beef, lamb and plant.

Also slated to attend are managers of the Texarkana, Shreveport, El Dorado, Alexandria, Natchez and Vicksburg plants.

Pair Arrested For Shooting From Auto

Two men, C. E. Burks, 4318 Peltain street and D. C. Head, apartment 2-7 Selman Field were arrested Friday night on charges of

hunting at night and firing a shotgun from an automobile, the Monroe police department reported Saturday morning.

According to police, a resident living near the Selman Field school reported that an unidentified person was firing a shotgun from an

automobile behind the Selman Field school. Police hurried to the scene of the shooting and found the two men with two guns and ten rabbits in their possession. The rabbits along with Burks and Head were taken to the city jail.

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EXPERTS NOT SURPRISED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5 (UP)—Government economic experts Saturday expressed no surprise that employment sagged a little in November and unemployment increased for the first time since June. In announcing the two developments, Commerce Secretary Sinclair Weeks said they "confirm other evidence of a slight easing," in some lines of business activity.

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Camden	28	5.0	0.2 Rise
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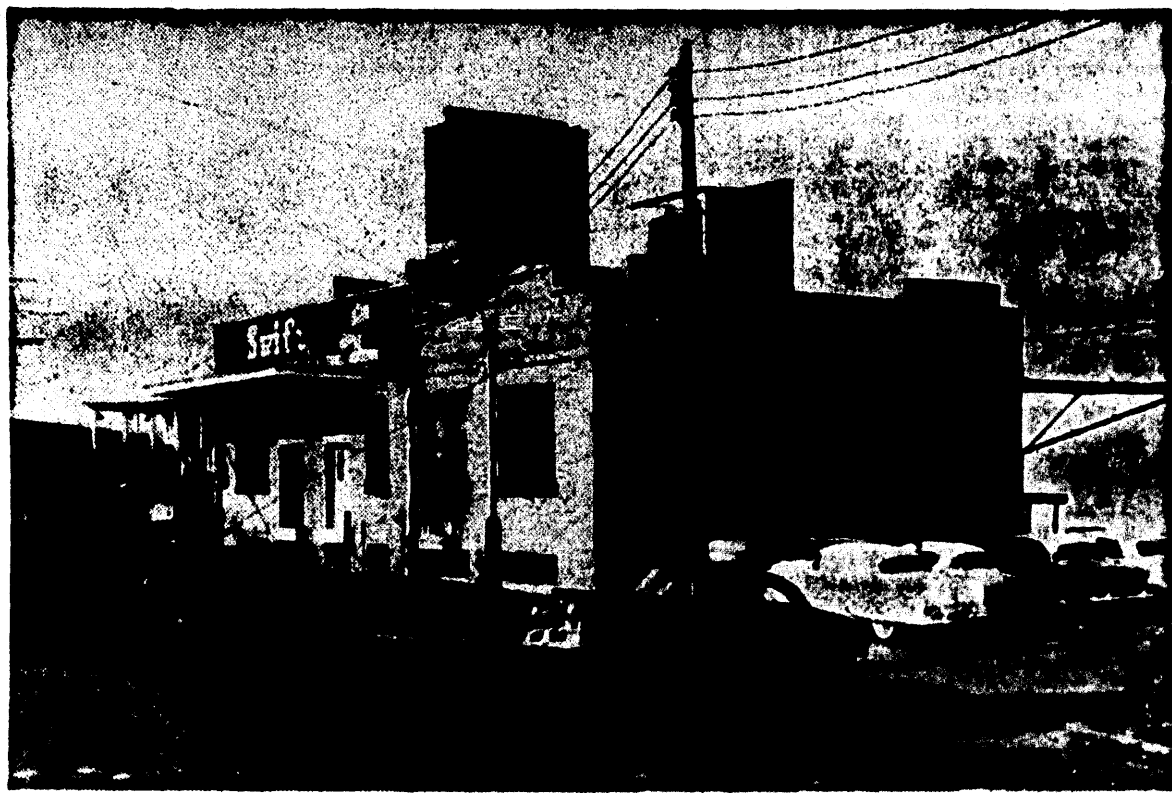
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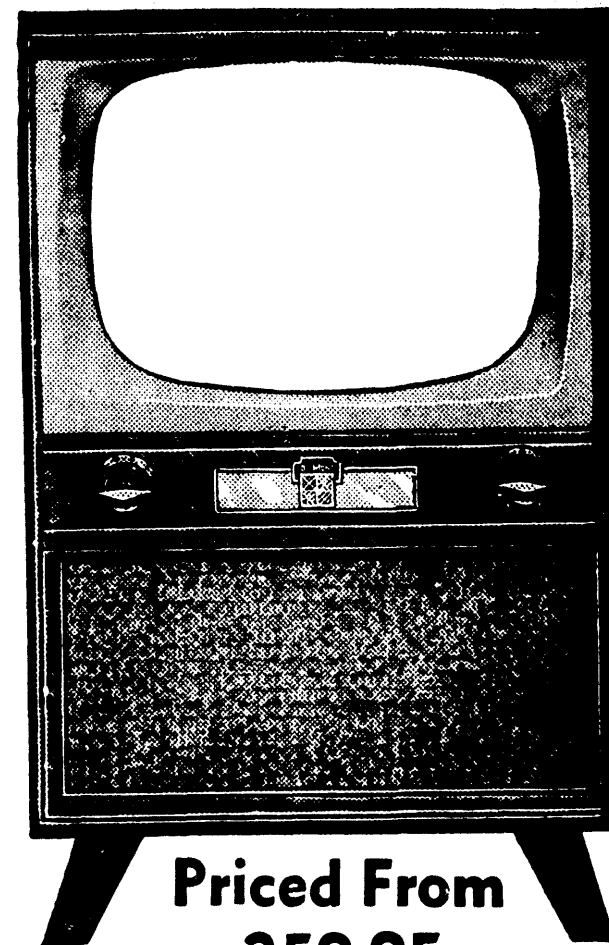
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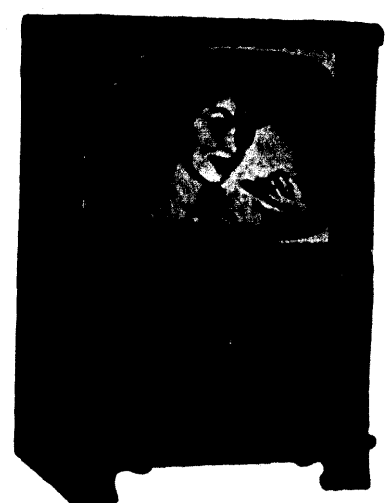
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Momentous Issue Affects A Third Of The States

Oral Arguments On School Segregation To Be Resumed Monday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 (AP)—The Supreme Court on Monday begins the second round of oral arguments on the momentous issue of whether it should declare the segregation of Negro and white pupils in public schools unconstitutional. While directly involved are only four states and the District of Columbia, legal authorities assume that any final decision against segregation in those areas would mean the end of dual public school systems throughout the country.

The State of Virginia, one of the litigants in the cases to be argued Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, says the custom of segregation is followed in a third of all the states.

Thus the debate starting Monday afternoon is likely to involve more historic potentialities than any that has taken place before the high tribunal since former Gov. Earl Warren of California mounted the bench Oct. 5 under a recess appointment as chief justice.

Negro parents in four states and Washington, D. C. have urged the court to back up their plea that segregation is harmful discrimination which is invalid under the Constitution. They say all public

schools should be opened to all children, regardless of race, by the start of the next school year. The Justice Department, in a "friend of the court" declaration, declared that "The primary and pervasive purpose of the Constitution's 14th Amendment was to secure for Negroes full and complete equality before the law and to abolish all legal distinctions based on race or color."

Three of the states directly involved—Virginia, South Carolina, and Kansas—contend the Supreme Court does not have the power to outlaw segregation in their schools. Counsel for the District of Columbia School Board say the dual school system here was set up by Congress, which governs the federal area. If the time has come to make a change, they contend it should be ordered by the lawmakers in Congress.

Delaware, the fourth state involved, emphasized its objections to a state court order requiring immediate admission of Negro pupils to certain white schools.

The Supreme Court first heard arguments last December in all five cases, but in June it asked attorneys to return in the present

term with more information.

The court particularly wanted to know whether the framers of the 14th Amendment intended that it should abolish segregation in schools and whether the justices had power to interpret the amendment in that manner.

The 14th Amendment was adopted after the Civil War. Primarily for the benefit of the slaves freed by President Lincoln, it says no state may deny any person due process and equal protection of the law, nor abridge their privileges or immunities.

The court also asked how, in event of a ruling against segregation, an order could be put into effect in the various states and the District of Columbia.

On the latter question, the Justice Department did not agree with Negro parents that the high court should order immediate integration of the races. The department suggested in its brief that the Supreme Court should send the five cases back to the lower courts which first handled them, and give directions to carry out the final decision "as speedily as the particular circumstances permit."

Oxford Debaters Lose To LSU

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 5—UP—Two suave Oxford debaters bowed to telling verbal blows of two Louisiana State University students by a six-vote margin when the teams met Friday night for the eighth international debate.

Miss Leonore Evans and Scott Nobles carried the close satnding-room-only audience vote of 175 to 169 by opposing the question, "Resolved that this house regrets the Far Eastern foreign policy of the present American administration."

The Englishmen, Patrick Barnabas Burke Mayhew and John Peters, who arrived here by air, said they had left "a little bit of England forever in an air pocket somewhere west of Dallas and east of Amarillo."

Sen. Russell Long, himself a former debate champion at LSU, served as moderator.

Monroe Region Of Public Affairs Council To Meet

Trustees of the Public Affairs Research Council for the Monroe region will meet December 11 to hear a preliminary report on findings of the welfare study by the council and participate in a discussion of them.

R. D. Kellogg, Monroe, President of PAR, has invited trustees to a luncheon meeting at the Redwood Lounge in Monroe.

According to Kellogg, the findings of the year-long study of the state's \$110-million welfare program, which was requested by the legislature, will be presented by Edward J. Steimel, assistant executive director of PAR; Raymond Carmon, research director; and E. W. Stagg, public information director.

Trustees in the Monroe region for PAR, which is a privately-supported non-partisan governmental research organization, are: Mayo M. Iles, Clarks; Mark Brown, Lake Providence; George Lensing, Lake Providence; Raymond Heard, Ruston; F. B. James, Ruston; Lamar

Roaring Oil Well Fire Controlled

LAKE CHARLES, La., Dec. 5—UP—A roaring fire that broke out in a California Company oil well and spread to two 4,000 barrel storage tanks was brought under control by firemen Saturday.

The fire fighters battled the blaze nearly five hours after it started about 2:30 a.m.

Sheriff Henry Reid said the well is located about one mile north of U.S. 90 some five miles east here. He said the fire started while workers were reconditioning it well. There were no injuries reported.

Rayburn Refuses To Comment On Probe Of Condon

BONHAM, Tex., Dec. 5—UP—House Minority Leader Sam Rayburn of Texas refused to comment Saturday on testimony that Rep. Robert L. Condon (D-Calif.) attended a Communist party meeting in Oakland in 1948.

"I am not going to say anything about that," Rayburn said. "And I am not going to introduce any resolution to investigate him."

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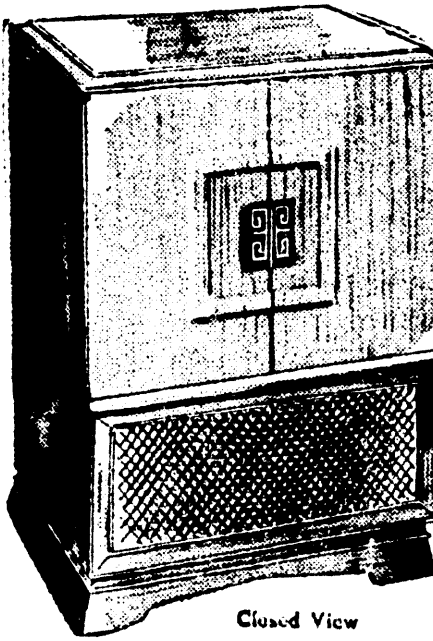
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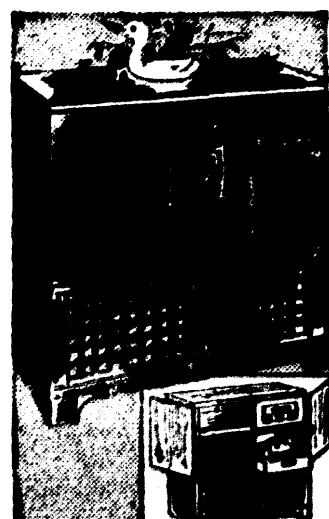


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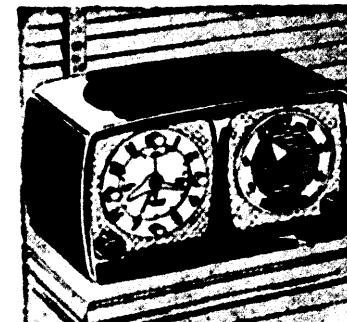
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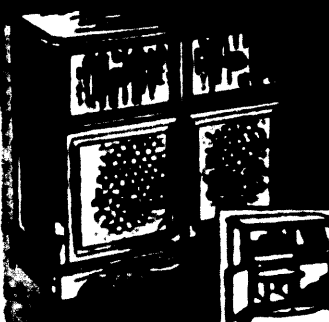


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Fishing and hunting are the greatest of non-spectator participation sports. Men and boys instinctively enjoy one or both. They are a heritage of a time when life depended on fishing ability and hunting skill. Today the majority of our Isaac Waltons and Daniel Boones take to the bayous, lakes and forests for relaxation, sport, a brief interlude from the trials of modern living.

Fishermen are jokingly called the greatest liars on earth, but we'll take the lying fisherman and his amusing tales any day to the type of hunter who is growing more dangerous each season—that trigger-happy gunman who goes into the forests to shoot at anything that moves, even other human beings.

Traffic accidents on the highways have resulted in state laws requiring certain qualifications before a person is permitted behind the steering wheel of an automobile. Some such qualifications should be made to apply to careless hunters unqualified to finger a trigger. Careless and trigger-happy hunters are becoming the most dangerous animals in our forests, murdering their fellow-man because they were not certain of what they were shooting at.

Somewhere today a man who called himself a hunter is living with his own conscience because he fired a slug, intended for shooting deer, into the chest of a real hunter. Only the man who fired that shot the other day in Concordia parish knows the slayer of Dr. H. O. Taylor, the beloved "country doctor" of Calhoun whose death affects so many people who knew him. The killer sneaked away when he discovered his mistake. If his identity is ever learned, he will probably say he "saw something move, thought it was a deer, and fired." That's what a lot of others have said.

The hunter who makes such a statement is not a sportsman. He is out to kill, regardless of the law. Hunting regulations prohibit the killing of deer and even other birds. The deer hunter who shoots simply because he saw "something move" intends to break the law. He would not shoot a deer and his kind of target will usually prove to be a deer. Because he isn't certain, it could be a Dr. Taylor.

We don't like to suggest such things since man, who loves freedom of doing what he pleases, already desires restrictions, but it seems men should be made to pass a hunting test or some kind, like an automobile driver, before being issued a license. Possibly, his ears with firearms and thoughtfulness in the woods would determine how powerful a gun or shell he would be permitted to use if any at all. Certainly these map-shot back-wooded guys shouldn't be allowed to carry a "big" gun.

We expect to hear any day that Promoter Gus Kallo has killed that latest sensation of the wrestling arenas, Goliath, the mighty seven-foot 225-pound giant who played the role of the champion of the Philippine armies in the recent motion picture production, "David and Goliath." Goliath, after European ring appearances, is now in this territory on a tour of America, attracting record-breaking wrestling crowds. Kallo admits he's doubting for Goliath and expects to bring him here soon.

R. S. "They" Girault, Monroe's Louisiana state senior golf champion, is participating in the Southern Seniors Golf Association tournament now in progress at Pinehurst, N. C. The tournament started yesterday, ends today. Only the most outstanding senior players are participating.

Northeast State football followers are predicting big things for Lloyd Ray Smith, the Tribe's freshman fullback from Bastrop. "He's a Little All-America potential if I ever saw one," one observer predicted. Except for one play against Louisiana Tech, Smith was overlooked for the first four games of the season. He hit his stride against Northwestern, played magnificently against Tennessee Tech and Southwestern, and ended the season as one of the rushing leaders of the Gulf State Conference.

Today we're taking off for a couple of weeks vacation. We'll split it by attending the Louisiana Associated Press Sports writers annual meeting next Sunday at New Orleans where the all-State prep teams will be selected. We've got a lot of good boys in mind from our area, but don't expect to land as many as we desire.

Hagan On Record Spree; Kentucky Smashes Temple

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 5 (AP)—All-America Cliff Hagan poured a 51 points to smash a Southwestern Conference record in leading Kentucky to an 86-50 basketball victory over Temple tonight.

Kentucky in its first start since a one-year ban imposed by the N.E.C. and National Collegiate Athletic Association was never in trouble. But it was midway in the third quarter before it flashed its ultimate brilliance.

The Wildcats started slowly and 37-20 at the half. Temple, meantime, was playing a deliberate style of ball and not getting the good shots it sought.

Hagan had 20 points the first half to equal Temple's entire output to that point.

Al Dickerson, a sharp-shooting guard, tallied 15 points for Temple, and Hal Reinfield, a reserve forward, added 12.

Frank Ramsey made 10 points

for Kentucky as the Wildcats won their 11th straight game at home. Hagan's 51 broke five records: the most points by a S.E.C. player in a game, most points by a S.E.C. player in a non-conference game; most free throws made (17) in a non-conference game; the all-time high for a Kentucky player, and the new Memorial Coliseum record. The previous S. E. C. record was 50 points scored by Bob Pettit Louisiana State University against Georgia in 1953.

Southern's Cage Coach In Final Year

HATTIESBURG, Miss., Dec. 5 (AP)—Lee Floyd, basketball coach at Mississippi Southern for the past four years, has resigned, effective next May 31, president R. C. Cook said today.

Floyd said he was quitting athletics completely to accept a job as assistant to the president of International Petroleum Co., at El Paso, Tex., his former home.

Red Green, Southern's athletic director, said no one has been named to replace Floyd but he has a commitment from a nationally known coach.

S. L. I. Cagers Defeat Northeast, 76-60

M'Cauley, Dozier Spark Bulldogs; Gibson Tribe Ace

By TED HECKATHORN
The Northeast State basketball team finally were successful in bottling up high scoring Southwestern Louisiana Institute's sharpshooting Ed McCauley in the fourth period, but it was too late, as the visitors coasted to a 76-60 win last night at the Ouachita Parish High School gymnasium.

McCauley was the difference in the Gulf States Conference tussle last night, as the last season's leading scorer dropped 21 points through the nets, all in the first three periods. The Indians kept him from adding to his total in the final stanza, simply by keeping him from shooting. The only two shots he got in that period were two off-balance heaves that didn't come close.

Gel Dozier, an S. L. I. long-range artist, shared the high point honors with Easy Ed, by dropping in three less field goals but connecting for seven free throws, to also garner 21.

The Tribe was paced by newcomer Melvin Gibson, who closely followed the two visiting Hawkeys, by registering 20 markers.

The story of the game was simple. Southwestern led all the way, and by copping almost all the rebounds from both boards, fed the ball to Dozier, for long zippers; huge center Dallas Wolf, for tips; or McCauley for long or short depending on where he got the ball.

Trailing 39-25 at halftime, the Tribe five made a close battle of it in the final half, and scored only two less points than the red-clad Bulldogs.

Bill Bigby sank all four of his goals in the third period to pull his team a little closer, but McCauley, Dozier, and Art Bertrand peppered away for the invaders, giving them a comfortable 67-45 lead going into the fourth; and though the Indians tallied 15 to S. L. I.'s nine in the final, it wasn't enough to make it too close.

Box score:
Northeast 60
Bennett, f 2 3 2 12
Crowe, f 4 1 2 9
Bigby, c 4 1 2 9
Gibson, c 7 6 3 20
Shively, f 2 0 1 4
Williams, f 0 1 0 1
Montgomery, f 0 0 0 0
Dyers, f 0 0 0 0
Austin, g 1 2 1 4
Ford, g 0 1 2 1

Totals 22 16 14 60
Southwestern 76
McCauley, f 10 11 8 21
Dozier, f 7 7 2 21
Wright, f 0 0 0 0
Barber, f 0 0 1 0
Souther, f 2 0 2 4
Wade, f 6 2 2 14
Lahlan, c 0 1 0 1
Chaves, c 0 1 1 1
Bertrand, g 5 2 3 12
Gregory, g 1 0 2 2
Flanagan, g 0 0 1 0
Baggett, g 0 0 0 0
Birdsall, g 0 0 0 0

Totals 31 14 19 76
Referee, Hallett; Umpire, Parker.

Fault Of Timers Spoils Landy Bid For Record Mile

MELBOURNE, Dec. 5 (AP)—Australian mile runner John Landy missed out in his effort for a four-minute mile today, turning in a slow 4:09.5, but he ran smack into a hot dispute involving a watch used in timing the race.

Landy, who started the track world year ago with a 4:02.1 clocking, slowed down today after the first quarter mile when the time came over the loud speaker as 62 seconds. He realized he then would have no chance for Funder Haegg's 4:01.4 world record, much less the coveted four-minute mile.

The uproar began after the race, when it was discovered that the correct time for the first quarter was 59.5 seconds. Similarly, his time at the correct 2:03.8, 2:05 instead of the correct 2:03.8.

Landy complained bitterly about the incorrect time announced by officials. "If they want to make it hard for me why don't they put hurdles on the track?"

Les Perry, sixth-place finisher in the 5,000 meters at the 1952 Olympics, finished second behind Landy, then stormed up and down the track accusing the officials of giving his pal Landy a "bum" time in hopes Landy would run faster.

Hated officials announced after a hurdle that only one watch was in error. Unfortunately, they said, this was the watch used to give the lap times and inform the runners of their progress. The watch had been checked Friday night by a leading Melbourne jewelry firm and found to be accurate, officials said.

The strange thing about the timepiece was that it was approximately two seconds off on the first lap, then mysteriously righted itself and did not gain any more second for the remaining laps.



CHAMPION GRID FORECASTERS GET TROPHIES—Northeast Louisiana's champion football forecasters, winners of awards presented annually by the Recreation Grid Quiz, conducted by the Monroe Recreation department, are pictured above as they were handed their trophies here yesterday. Left to right, they are O. L. Todd, Winnboro, and Pat Scalia, Monroe, who won duplicate awards when they tied for the lead in the men's division; Mrs. John D. Taylor, Farmerville, winner in the women's division and "grand champion" of the annual contest; and Jack Hesketh, Monroe recreation director who presented the awards.

L.S.U.'s Cagers Storm Pensacola Navy, 109 to 68

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 5 (AP)—Louisiana State University, defending Southeastern Conference basketball champion, opened its season here tonight by burying the Pensacola, Fla., Naval Air Station 109-68.

Center Bob Pettit, 6 ft., 9 inch SEC scoring king, led the way with 22 points.

Trailing Pettit in team scoring was 5 ft., 10 in., Don Sebastian, who had 16 points while playing less than half the game as substitute guard.

Regular guard Norman Magee managed to pour in 15 points and right behind him was Ned Clark with 14.

Pete Fannon, former St. Johns star, was second highest scorer of the night and kept the game respectable by hitting 18 rebounds for the airmen.

LSU Coach Harry Rabenhorn, substituting at will, got a good look at freshman Roger Siedler from Cleveland, Ohio, who entered the game briefly in the third quarter and put on a fancy passing dribbling display while clicking for 5 points.

Pensacola 68
LSU 109
Belcher, f 4 5 0 6
Magee, g 5 5 4 15
Pettit, c 11 10 3 32
Sebastian, g 5 0 1 10
Clark, f 7 0 2 14
Sebastian, g 8 0 3 16
Fleahy, c 0 1 1 1
Lee, f 0 0 0 0
Loughmiller, f 1 0 1 2
McNeilly, f 3 0 3 6
Zinner, g 0 0 2 0
Singer, f 2 1 0 5
Rushing, f 0 2 0 2
Holt, c 0 0 0 0

Totals 45 19 22 109
Pensacola 68
Shedden, f 4 1 2 9
Tudor, g 3 2 3 8
Greene, c 3 2 3 8
Fannon, f 6 6 2 18
Van Gundy, g 2 2 0 6
Carter, f 3 3 0 9
Mishanec, c 0 1 5 1
Turkale, f 3 2 0 8
Ciccolo, g 0 1 1 1
Paul, g 0 0 0 0

Baskin Prepares For Annual Cage Event This Week

BASKIN, La., Dec. 5. (Special)—Baskin High School will be host to its annual invitational basketball tournament here next Friday and Saturday with teams from throughout this area participating.

Pairings were announced today as follows:
Girls' Division
Friday—Baskin vs. Pioneer, 2:30 p.m.; Forest vs. Crowleyville, 5:30 p.m.; Holly Ridge vs. Ouachita of Monroe, 6:45 p.m. Start drew a first round bye.

Boys' Division
Friday—Mangham vs. Crowleyville, 12 noon; Ouachita vs. Forest, 1:15 p.m.; Holly Ridge vs. Port Necessity, 3:45 p.m.; Pioneer vs. Mangham, 5:45 p.m.; Crowleyville, 8 p.m.; Baskin vs. Start, 9:15 p.m.

Semi-finals will begin at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and finals will start at 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Miss Delores Becarriss, Miss Frances Deggans and Miss Addie Thompson will officiate the girls' games. In charge of boys' games will be Bill Bagwell and Bill Dosey.

The wrong effect on Landy. Also, it left officials arguing among themselves and accusing one another of fouling up the times.

Basketball Scores

College
Southwestern Louisiana 76, Northeast Louisiana 60
L. S. U. 109, Pensacola Navy 68
Kentucky 86, Temple 59
Arkansas State Teachers 74, Mississippi College 73
Mississippi Southern 69, Hamline 54
N. C. State 89, Davidson 41
Illinois 88, Oklahoma 61
Penn 78, Delaware 50
Minnesota 75, Nebraska 64
Western Kentucky 84, Southeastern Louisiana 60
Penn State 66, Wash. and Jeff. 41
Lafayette 78, Swarthmore 49
Gettysburg 85, Hofstra 68
Ky. Wesleyan 78, Gustavus Adolphus 65
Northwestern 69, Western Mich. 53
Georgetown 69, St. Peter's (N.J.) 60
Iowa 51, Washington (St. Louis) 45
Iowa State 76, Grinnell 62
Xavier (O.) 83, Kent State 64
Baltimore U. 109, Catholic U. 75
Marshall 87, W. Va. Wesleyan 64
Alderson-Broadbent 87, Emory and Henry 75
Navy 56, Virginia 75
New Hampshire 76, Bates 66
Erskine 84, North Georgia 67
Michigan State 88, Creighton 51
St. Joseph's (Pa.) 70, Rhode Island 53
Brandels 80, Colby 59
Fordham 77, Niagara 59
Hamilton 87, Queens (Ontario) 53
Tulsa Frosh 52, Arkansas Frosh 38
Central Michigan 75, Michigan Tech 50
Clarkson Tech 87, McGill (Montreal) 54
Michigan 78, Pitt 69
Alma 68, Adrian 58
Indiana 78, Cincinnati 65
Detroit 77, Buffalo 58
Michigan Normal 71, Hillsdale 55
Presbyterian 55, Catawba 44
South Carolina 50, Georgia Tech 45
High Point 82, High Point "Y" 75
Duke 101, Tennessee 61
Delta State 64, Ouachita College 57
Stetson 74, Florida 55
Richmond 93, Randolph - Nacorn 30
William and Mary 78, Hampden-Sydney 58
Ohio U. 83, Marietta 72
Edinboro 56, Allegheny 52
Kansas State 70, Denver 41
Ohio State 93, Butler 78
Wash. and Lee 78, Bridgewater 55
Vanderbilt 75, Texas Tech 71
Purdue 71, Wake 61
Professional
Rochester 72, Baltimore 65
Minneapolis 90, Syracuse 80, Boston 97, Milwaukee 79.

Winnsboro Girls Central's Quint Win Fort Tourney

FORT NECESSITY, La., Dec. 5 (Special)—The Winnsboro girls and Central boys won the Fort Necessity Invitational Basketball Tournament for high school teams here tonight as the Winnsboro sextet stopped Fort Necessity in the finals, 69-26, and the Central quint defeated Ogden, 55-50.

Shirley Williams hooped 33 points in sparking the Winnsboro girls, while Jean Bryan led the Fort with 13. Sedrick Blake, with 24 points, fired the way for Central in the finals, while Hilburn led Ogden with 15.

All tournament teams were named as follows:
Girls—Dickson, Central; Linda Bennett, Winnsboro; Guthrie, Fort Necessity; Watson, Winnsboro; Longino, Central; Dorothy Williams, Winnsboro.

Boys—Gilbert, Central; Moore, Fort Necessity; Smith, Winnsboro; Fain, Ogden; Blake, Central.

Team sportsmanship awards went to the Wiser girls and Mangham boys.

The tournament, conducted by Coach Alton Johnson, had been in progress since Friday. The summary of games is as follows:
Girls—Fort Necessity 55, Kelly 25; Central 58, Wiser 29; Winnsboro 45, Mangham 34; Ogden won on a Gilbert default; Fort Necessity 47, Central 45; Winnsboro 40, Ogden 26; Winnsboro 69, Fort Necessity 26.

Boys—Wiser 43, Gilbert 35; Baskin 48, Grayson 36; Ogden 49, Kelly 22; Fort Necessity 55, Mangham 45; Wiser 52, Enterprise 45; Central 55, Baskin 43; Ogden 69, Winnsboro 37; Fort Necessity 60, Harrisonburg 49; Central 38, Wiser 46; Ogden 50, Fort Necessity 46; Central 55, Ogden 50.

Bob Toski Builds Lead In Havana's Golf Tournament

HAVANA, Dec. 5 (AP)—Bob Toski, Northampton, Mass., today lengthened his lead in the Havana Country Club's International Golf Tournament to three strokes after 54 holes of play. He had an even 200, 16 strokes under par.

Art Wall, Pocono Manor, Penn., still was within halting distance of Toski with a 203. The final 18 holes of the tournament will be played tomorrow.

The leaders:
Bob Toski, Northampton, Mass., 65-67-68—200
Art Wall, Pocono Manor, Penn., 66-67-70—203
Al Bessellink, Grossinger, N. Y., 72-65-66—204
W. L. Burkemo, Franklin, Mich., 65-68-71—204
Pete Cooper, Ponta Verda, Fla., 70-68-66—204
Freddie Haas, Jr., New Orleans, 65-73-67—205
Julius Boros, Mid Pines, N. C., 70-70-68—208
Al Brosch, Garden City, N. Y., 72-66-70—208
Marty Furgol, Lemont, Ill., 70-67-71—208
Tommy Bolt, Maplewood, N. J., 68-69-72—209
Doug Ford, Yonkers, N. Y., 70-68-71—209
Claude Harmon, Mamaroneck, N. Y., 71-70-68—209
Shelley Mayfield, Chicopee, Conn., 72-71-66—209
Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y., 70-66-73—210
Gardner Dickinson, Panama City, Fla., 70-66-74—210
Skip Alexander, St. Petersburg, Fla., 72-66-73—210
Dutch Harrison, Ardmore, Okla., 67-73-72—212

Girault Grabs Lead In Senior Links Tourney

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 5 (AP)—"Shep" Girault of Monroe, La., registered a par 70 to take the lead in the 19th annual Southern Seniors Golf Association, championship tournament here today.

Girault, Louisiana state seniors champion, turned in the par round on the No. 1 course of the Pinehurst Country Club. He was trailed by John B. Ryerson of Columbia, S. C., with a 71. Tied at third with 73 were R. E. Duke of Raleigh and Louis B. Orell, Wilmington.

Tomorrow's final 18-hole round will be played on the No. 2 course.

Mobley, Massey Fight Steele, Dusek Tuesday

The popular tag team wrestling feature returns to Kallio's Arena Tuesday night, when Rex Mobley pairs with Al Massey to take on Jack "Stinger" Steele and Danny Dusek in a two-of-three-falls-to-win match.

Two short time limit preliminaries between opposing team members will warm up the main event, and West Monroe's Bill Barney will referee all bouts, in which the no-fault wrestling rules will again be in force. Each gladiator seen by the referee committing a foul will be fined \$1 for each offense, the total score kept by a ringside judge to be assessed against the offender for a turkey fund, proceeds to go to the Good Fellows.

The same four wrestlers squared off in a tag match on November 10, with Dusek and Steele winning the match by using all sorts of villainous tactics, mostly hair-pulls, to break the hero's holds.

Mobley and Massey will be out for revenge Tuesday, and are likely to get it in a fair-locks match. From past appearances, outside of the November 10 decision, the match seems all even, as Dusek mastered Mobley and Massey beat Steele in individual matches a week later.

Since "Stinger" is not at his best without hair pulling to break holds, the brunt of his team's attack is likely to fall on Dusek, conqueror of Mobley in the fore-mentioned foulless bout. Steele managed to go three falls that night committing only two fouls, but he lost the match.



POPULAR MATMAN Rex Mobley, (above) teams with big Al Massey Tuesday night in a tag team main-event wrestling match vs. Jack "Stinger" Steele and Danny Dusek at Kallio's Arena.

Recreation Basketball

JUNIOR 'A' LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
L.T.I. Falcons	1	0	1.000
W. Monroe Blues	1	0	1.000
W. Monroe Grays	1	0	1.000
L.T.I. Eagles	1	0	1.000
Trinity	0	1	.000
Southside	0	1	.000
Neville Frosh	0	1	.000
Neville Juniors	0	1	.000

Tomorrow's Games
Eagles vs. Neville Juniors, 7 p.m.
L. T. I.
Falcons vs. Southside, 6 p.m.
L. T. I.
Trinity vs. Neville Frosh, 8 p.m.
L. T. I.
West Monroe Blues vs. West Monroe Grays, at West Monroe, 8:45.
(All games L. T. I. gym)

Thursday's Games
Eagles vs. Neville Frosh, 6 p.m.
Falcons vs. West Monroe Blues, 7 p.m.
Neville Juniors vs. Southside, 8 p.m.
Trinity vs. West Monroe Grays, 8:45.
(All games L. T. I. gym)

JUNIOR 'B' LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Ouachita Cubs	1	0	1.000
Singer Sewing	1	0	1.000
Louisville Ap.	1	0	1.000
Sheriff's Dept.	1	0	1.000
Independents	0	1	.000
W. Mon. Key Club	0	1	.000
Marauders	0	1	.000
Red Shield Club	0	1	.000

Tomorrow's Games
Louisville Appliance vs. Sheriff's Dept., 6 p.m.
Marauders vs. Independents, 7 p.m.
Cubs vs. Key Club, 8 p.m.
Red Shield vs. Singer Sewing, 8:45.
(All games Ouachita gym)

MIDGET LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Red Shield Club	1	0	1.000
Neville Bengals	1	0	1.000
L.T.I. Hawks	1	0	1.000
West Monroe	0	0	.000
College Place	0	0	.000
Trinity	0	0	.000
Kats	0	1	.000
St. Matthews	0	1	.000
Neville Tigers	0	1	.000

Tuesday's Games
West Monroe vs. Trinity, 5:30
Tigers vs. Owls, 6:15
Red Shield vs. Hawks, 7 p.m.
Bengals vs. Kats, 7:45
St. Matthews vs. College Place, 8:30
(All games L. T. I. gym)

Calhoun Teams Win Boys, Girls Eros Cage Meet

EROS, La., Dec. 5 (Special)—Calhoun High School boys and girls basketball teams, now known as the "Chieftains," won the Eros High Invitational Tournament here tonight, the boys defeating Eros in the finals, and the girls, Weston High.

Kenneth Coon and Joe White of Calhoun were named to the tournament boys team; while Barbara Coon, sister of Kenneth, and Mary Alice Kilpatrick made the girls team.

Weston High boys placed third in the meet, as did the Chatham sextette.

Tulane Cagers Sock Louisiana College, 87-47

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 5 (AP)—Tulane's basketball team took its second basketball victory in as many games tonight by defeating Louisiana College 87-47.

Tulane took a 10-0 lead and used every squad member in coasting to victory. Hal Cervini, junior guard was high point man with 19, followed by forward Pat Browne and center Jim Nowakowski with 13 points each.

Player	G	F	P	T
Priest, f	2	2	2	6
Barrett, f	4	6	4	14
Mancill, f	2	2	1	6
Anthony, f	0	1	0	1
Williams, c	2	2	3	7
Pickett, f	1	0	0	2
Brown, g	0	3	3	3
Boyd, g	3	2	3	8
Duplechin, g	0	0	0	0
Falmers, g	0	0	0	0
Tot				

Rayville, Ruston Playoff Contest Scheduled Here

Hornets Take On Bearcats Friday At Brown Field

The Rayville High School Hornets and the Ruston High School Bearcats are bringing their Class A state championship semi-final playoff game to Monroe, it was announced yesterday by Coach Marvin "Red" Campbell of Rayville who said the battle for the north Louisiana championship will take place here Friday night at 8 o'clock at Brown Field on the campus of Northeast Louisiana State College.

The Hornets, champions of the northeast district and confederates of the central zone champs from Oakdale, have been waiting two weeks already for a playoff opponent to be determined in games involving Springhill, Minden and Ruston.

Minden upset favored Springhill, defending state champs, a week ago in the northwest district title game. Friday night Coach "Hoss" Garrett's Ruston eleven, kingspins of the north central district, smashed Minden in their playoff scrap, 25 to 6, to earn the right to meet Rayville.

Undefeated Ruston machine, led by Tommy Hinton, 206-pound tackle; Middleton Shirley, 200-pound guard; Kenneth Mabry, a tackle; Fred Hoogland, center; and Bill Smith, Ralph Deloney, Jimmy Alexander, Bryant Kennedy and Oren Baremore in the backfield, will present an enviable record of

Browns, Lions Get Ready For Repeat Title Battle

By RIP WATSON
NEW YORK, Dec. 3. (AP)—Remember the thrilling battle the Cleveland Browns and Detroit Lions put on for the National Football League title last December? Unless the most startling upset of the 1953 pro season is perpetuated against the Lions in the next two weeks, you'll see a replay of their 17-7 victory over the Browns in this season's pro playoff the afternoon of Dec. 27 in Briggs Stadium, Detroit.

The Lions have a one-game lead on their closest pursuers, the San Francisco 49ers, in the N. F. L.'s western division. All they have to do is beat the weak Chicago Bears on Sunday and the equally weak New York Giants the following week and they're in. Nothing the 49ers could do Sunday against Green Bay and Dec. 13 against Baltimore would make any difference.

The Browns, of course already have wrapped up the eastern division title with 10 straight victories. The rest of the schedule is just practice for them.

The Lions play host to the Bears in Detroit with an 8-2 won-lost record and a 20-16 victory over the Chicago club already to their credit. Frisco, meanwhile, will go against Green Bay in the west coast city with a 7-3 mark. Off their 37-7 rout of the same club Nov. 22, they're pretty sure to win, but so what if Detroit whips the Bears again?

Los Angeles, in the western division race only on a technical basis, met Baltimore Saturday with a 6-3-1 mark.

In the eastern division Sunday, the Browns start their title game warm-ups against the Giants in Cleveland. In the nation's capital for second place in the division race and the Chicago Cardinals will try — again — for their first victory of the campaign, this time against the Pittsburgh Steelers in Chicago.

The Bears, former titans of the league who haven't won a title since 1946, nevertheless have been going well in the last month and just might prove troublesome for the Lions. They have a feeble-sounding 3-6-1 record; but in the last four weeks they've tied Green Bay, beaten Washington, lost the squeaker to Detroit and last week virtually knocked the Rams out of it with a 24-21 surprise.

This will be the first start for the Packers since Gene Ronzani's departure as coach. It could be the efforts of the players to impress the coaching board of Hugh Devore, Ray McLean and Chuck Drulis might cause them to improve on their 2-1 league record.

Ever since Cleveland came into the N. F. L. in 1949, the Browns rivalry with New York has been one of the fiercest in the league. Even this year, when the Giants have only won three of ten, they've tied the Browns for four periods before giving up a 7-0 triumph.

Philadelphia, stopped by New York last week after winning six straight, has a 30-points plus per game scoring average. But they may need more than that against Washington's tight defense if they're to hold second place against the "Skins" charge. Philadelphia's mark is 6-3-1, Washington 5-4-1.

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trated against the Lions in the next two weeks, you'll see a replay of their 17-7 victory over the Browns in this season's pro playoff the afternoon of Dec. 27 in Briggs Stadium, Detroit.

The Lions have a one-game lead on their closest pursuers, the San Francisco 49ers, in the N. F. L.'s western division. All they have to do is beat the weak Chicago Bears on Sunday and the equally weak New York Giants the following week and they're in. Nothing the 49ers could do Sunday against Green Bay and Dec. 13 against Baltimore would make any difference.

The Browns, of course already have wrapped up the eastern division title with 10 straight victories. The rest of the schedule is just practice for them.

The Lions play host to the Bears in Detroit with an 8-2 won-lost record and a 20-16 victory over the Chicago club already to their credit. Frisco, meanwhile, will go against Green Bay in the west coast city with a 7-3 mark. Off their 37-7 rout of the same club Nov. 22, they're pretty sure to win, but so what if Detroit whips the Bears again?

Los Angeles, in the western division race only on a technical basis, met Baltimore Saturday with a 6-3-1 mark.

In the eastern division Sunday, the Browns start their title game warm-ups against the Giants in Cleveland. In the nation's capital for second place in the division race and the Chicago Cardinals will try — again — for their first victory of the campaign, this time against the Pittsburgh Steelers in Chicago.

The Bears, former titans of the league who haven't won a title since 1946, nevertheless have been going well in the last month and just might prove troublesome for the Lions. They have a feeble-sounding 3-6-1 record; but in the last four weeks they've tied Green Bay, beaten Washington, lost the squeaker to Detroit and last week virtually knocked the Rams out of it with a 24-21 surprise.

This will be the first start for the Packers since Gene Ronzani's departure as coach. It could be the efforts of the players to impress the coaching board of Hugh Devore, Ray McLean and Chuck Drulis might cause them to improve on their 2-1 league record.

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Rival Tech Cage Teams Billed At Ruston Tuesday

RUSTON, Dec. 3. (Special)—Louisiana Tech's cage, who had little trouble winning their opening game Thursday, take on a tough opponent here Tuesday night in the Arkansas Tech Wonder Boys. Thursday night Coach Cecil Crowley gave his entire squad a chance to see action as the Bulldogs won over the Camp Folk Hawks 67-55.

If the Arkansas Tech quietest takes up where it left off last season the game could easily be one of the toughest assignments of the season for the Bulldogs. One of the highest scoring teams in the nation, the Wonder Boys had an amazing average of 94.7 points per game last year and had a season record of 24 victories and only one loss.

"Last season Arkansas Tech had two teams and one was just about as good as the other," Coach Crowley said as he warned his Bulldogs of the rough assignment ahead.

The Wonder Boys lost only one contest last year and that came in the N.A.I.A. Tournament in Kansas City. They represented Arkansas in the tournament.

Champions of the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference for the past five seasons, Arkansas Tech has stacked up during that period the envious record of 123 victories with only 13 defeats. Back with the high scoring team this year is an All-American selection from last year, E. C. O'Neal, six-foot-three-inch center.

Speaking of the opening game with Camp Folk, Coach Crowley pointed out that the Bulldogs played a good first half but that the second half proved the team needs further conditioning. Halftime activities at the game Tuesday night will include a gymnastic springboard exhibition by students of the men's physical education department.



LEAD LAKE PROVIDENCE—Co-captains for the Lake Providence High School's girls basketball team this season will be Carolyn Clement and Annie Leggett, left to right above. The Lake Providence cage season starts this week.

20 Teams Paired For Sicily Island Basketball Event

SICILY ISLAND, La., Dec. 3. (Special)—The Sicily Island Invitational Basketball Tournament, one of the state's oldest invitational cage shows, will open here next Friday night and continue through Saturday. Twenty teams, 12 boys and eight girls, will participate.

The island also offers one of the biggest arrays of medals and trophies with 22 medals for the eleven boys and eleven girls making the all tournament team, two silver miniature basketballs to be presented to the outstanding boy and outstanding girl at the tourney, and eight trophies, including first, second, and third place trophies, and the L. N. "Buddy" Blair sportsmanship trophies for a boy and girl. The sportsmanship awards are made by the former Sicily Island High School athlete who won athletic fame at L. S. U. and with the Philadelphia Athletics and is now a Monroe businessman.

Coach Raymond Peace today announced pairings as follows:

Girls' Division
Friday — Lario vs. Harrisonburg, 12 noon; Enterprise vs. Block, 1:05 p.m.; Sicily Island vs. St. Joseph, 7:50; Waterproof vs. Vidalia, 2:10 p.m.
Saturday — Lario - Harrisonburg winner, 2:45 p.m.; Sicily Island-St. Joseph winner vs. Waterproof-Vidalia winner, 12:30 p.m. Consolation game, 6 p.m. Championship game, 8:15 p.m.

Boys' Division
Friday — Wisner vs. Vidalia, 3:15 p.m.; Waterproof vs. Ogden, 4:20 p.m.; Enterprise vs. Gilbert, 5:30 p.m.; Lario vs. St. Joseph, 6:40 p.m.; Sicily Island vs. Wisner - Vidalia winner, 9 p.m.
Saturday — Harrisonburg vs. Waterproof - Ogden winner, 9 a.m.; Central of Delhi vs. Enterprise-Albert winner, 10:10 a.m.; Block of Jonesville vs. Lario - St. Joseph winner, 11:20 a.m. Semi-finals, 1:35 and 3:50 p.m. Consolation game, 7:05 p.m. Championship game, 9:20 p.m.

Tourney officials will be "Bud" Johnson, Ogden; Roy Stapp, Winnsboro; and Mrs. Mickey Salter Thurman, Northeast State College at Monroe.

Rams Hand Colts Worst Plastering Of Season, 45-2

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 3. (AP)—The Los Angeles Rams, with only slim mathematical chance for division laurels, handed the Baltimore Colts their worst beating of the season 45-2 here today.

The rosters showed these were the same National Football League teams that battled two weeks ago in Baltimore with the Rams winning in the final period 21-13. But it wasn't evident on the field where the Los Angeles club advanced 50 yards on their first play and dominated the game, from then on before 26,656 fans in the Coliseum and a national television audience.

Their chances of taking the western title in the National Football League about ended last week as the Bears scored a 24-21 victory in a Chicago snowstorm, the Rams today were hotter than the 79-degree weather.

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City League

The City Basketball League opens play here Tuesday night with a five-member circuit offering McKay's, Ramblers, Bulldogs, Commercial Solvents, and Calhoun.

Opening games in the Northeast Louisiana State College gymnasium set McKay's against the Ramblers at 7 o'clock, and Bulldogs against Commercial Solvents at 8 o'clock.

Calhoun, with a Tuesday bye, meets the Bulldogs in the opener of a Friday night twin bill at 7 o'clock. The second game on the Friday show will send the Ramblers at 8 o'clock.

Houston Contains Wade To Surprise Tennessee, 33-19

HOUSTON, Dec. 3. (AP)—Houston's Cougars had a lot of trouble with Jimmy Wade, a brilliant Tennessee tackle, but used ball control behind a surprisingly powerful line to upset the favored Volunteers, 33 to 19, in a homecoming intercollegiate game today.

Wade scored all three Tennessee touchdowns, two of them on runs of 60 and 63 yards, but his single-handed efforts could not prevent Houston from scoring one of its greatest victories in eight years of football.

After allowing Wade to break loose for a touchdown scamper on the third play of the game, Houston came back to take a 15-7 halftime lead that was increased to 20-7 with a 70-yard, nine minute and 49 second third quarter drive. Tennessee 6 0 7 6-19 Houston 7 6 7 13-33

Tennessee scoring: touchdowns, Wade 3, conversion, Shivers. Houston scoring: touchdowns, Clatterback, Staggall, Walker, Hargrove, Patterson. Conversions, Howton 2, Dietrich.

World's Ex-Billiard Champion Passes

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3. (AP)—Benjie Allen, 60, former world billiards champion, died last night after suffering a heart attack.

Allen, a partner in two billiard parlors here, first won the national title in 1916 when he was 23. He held it for 2 1/2 years.

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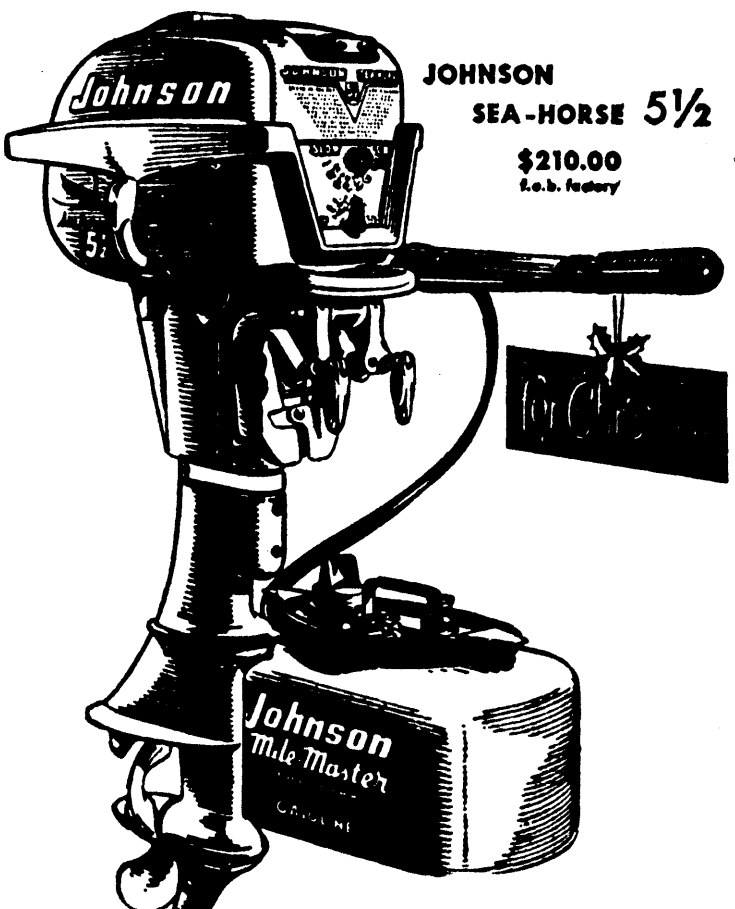
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Twin-City Symphony Gives Concert Thursday Evening

After several weeks of intensive effort, the campaign committee of the Monroe-West Monroe Symphony Association is pleased to announce that, through the generosity of

those persons supporting the symphony as sponsors, patrons, sustaining members, and annual members, a minimum budget fund has been obtained for this first season's operation.

Memberships will remain available and admission tickets for the individual concerts will be obtainable at the door.

The first concert will be given at Brown Auditorium, Northeast Louisiana State College, on Thursday, December 10th, at 8:30 p. m., with the orchestra under the direction of Dr. Harry Lemert.

Mrs. R. L. Ross, the campaign chairman, stated that although the minimum goal was assured, the campaign committee will continue its efforts to obtain sponsors, patrons and members. Many items

which would add to the beauty and success of the concerts can be obtained only if additional funds are realized.

Mrs. Ross stated, also, that any firms or persons desiring memberships could contact any of the following:

Mrs. R. L. Ross, Miss Mamie McNeill, Mrs. Florence Allbritton, Mrs. Felix Willey, L. Slade Brown, Max Kulke, Dr. Bert Heinberg, Paul Goldman, Dan Moore, or Mrs. Maud Mayo.

Costume jewelry sparks up your ensemble, but be sure to remove pins or brooches before picking up babies, to avoid scratching the infants.



PLANS FOR CONCERT—Members of the Twin City Symphony Association are completing plans for the 1st concert to be held Thursday evening December 10th at 8:15 o'clock at Northeast State College. Seated—L. Slade Brown, president, Mrs. B. D. Allbritton, Miss Mamie McNeill and Dan Moore Jr. Standing, Max Kulke, Mrs. R. L. Ross, membership chairman, and Paul Goldman.

Purely Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John Reardon left last week for their home in Seattle Washington after a two weeks visit with their family Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Reardon on Stubbs Ave. They were joined over the weekend by Mr. and Mrs. Pat Reardon of Fort Worth Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilds and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petty have returned from a visit to New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jardine are in Birmingham, Ala., this week end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Nickell of Colonial Hills. Mrs. Jardine and Mrs. Nickell are entertaining at a tea Sunday afternoon in honor of their sister, Miss Anne Kriles, who recently returned from Germany and Europe where she has been an army service club director for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Smith left

today motoring to Tulsa, Okla., where they will spend several days.

Dr. and Mrs. Nathaniel R. Spencer announce the arrival of their third child and second son, Douglas Wilson Branch Spencer, born Thursday, December 3, at the St. Francis Sanitarium. The grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Walsworth of this city and Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Spencer of Sarasota, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Looney Miller of Couchwood are the parents of their second son and third child.

Mrs. Miller is the former Rose Mary Dawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Vaughan announce the birth of their first child, Janet Dean, on November 21. Mrs. Vaughan is the former Catherine Dean. The grandmothers are Mrs. Eva Dean and Mrs. Lucille Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown have recently occupied their new home overlooking Bayou DeSiard on Deborah Drive.

Mr. Louis Gimler is convalescing at home, 102 Forrest after being a patient at St. Francis Sanitarium for the past month.

Miss Martha Carolyn Upshaw has returned from Baylor University in Waco, Tex. from where she received her B. A. degree at the end of the fall quarter.

Friends will be happy to learn that Mrs. Joe Fuller who has been a patient in a hospital at Greentree, W. Va., for the past several weeks is convalescing nicely at the St. Francis Sanitarium. Mrs. Fuller arrived by train Friday and was accompanied by her brother, Dr. Anderson, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mr. Fuller's sister from California. Mr. Fuller drove through and returned home yesterday.

Girl Scout News

Troop news is plentiful these days, what with organization and reorganization behind the troops, and Christmas fun and service taking their attention.

First, let us mention Troop 11, which is starting its sixth year of scouting with thirteen of its original members who now will be able to wear the coveted five-year pin. Begun in the fall of 1948 with Mrs. Corbin Turpin and Mrs. Bernard Levi as leaders, the troop has been outstanding since the beginning.

Right now these busy Scouts are packing individual gift boxes of personal gifts of the kind that teenagers like for a group of girls less fortunate than they. We hear that the Scouts did a lot of chores to earn money for the gifts - baby

sitting, raking leaves, just what ever came along.

In badge work, the girls have completed Dancer and almost finished Good Grooming, according to their leaders, Mrs. Seymour Solomon and Mrs. Paul Blackmon. We believe most of us would consider these girls very neat and attractive at any time, but if their hair has had a special sheen to it lately, it's because Mrs. Henry T. Poulson gave the girls some special help in caring for their skin and hair. And if they have better posture than before, it's because of the visit to their troop of Mrs. Bernell House of the local school of modeling.

In addition to these varied activities, the girls are regular outdoor Scouts, too, and are looking forward to a camping trip on the very first pretty spring weekend.

Completing five years of continuous Scouting are Evelyn Amman, Betsy Blackmon, Ruth Ann Boggs, Jo Ann Campbell, Sandy Dean, Landrea Ducote, Sandra Doernberg, Bunny Girault, Suzanne Kellogg, Mildred Gene Levi, Claire Solomon, Sandra Thompson, and Lucylu Turpin. Other members of the troop are Susanne Smith, Connie Wheeler and Sara Whitehurst. Serving on the troop committee of Troop 11 are Mrs. G. E. Boggs, Mrs. Dick Dean, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. E. S. Girault, and Mrs. Paul Blackmon.

Troop 7 invested four new members at its last meeting, Clydia Wilson, Penny Dean, Sharon Kirby and Margie Gilstrap, who was a Brownie in the troop, now returning to membership. This active troop picked up pecans to earn money for a basket of food which they sent to a needy family at Thanksgiving and they're planning to make a gift for mother for Christmas, as well as have a party for themselves.

Speaking of parties, Natalie Roy was planning to have her birthday cake at troop meeting recently, but instead spent her eleventh birthday sick in bed. Mother baked the cake, however and sent it to the troop and after the meeting the girls came to Nat's window to bring a birthday greeting.

Troop 5 and 26, Brownies, are devoting their time to good deeds for others at Christmas. Troop 5 under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Belote and Mrs. R. N. Ballenger are making stuffed toys to give to an organization for Christmas, while Troop 26 has made some lovely scrap books. They wrapped these at their last meeting, ready to deliver. Then the girls went to the Scout office to work on a secret project. Of course, nobody tells secrets these days.

Mrs. Charles Cason, Mrs. Arnold Clark and Mrs. Willis Culp are leaders of troop 28. The following girls make up the two troops: Kay Anderson, Suzanne Cason, Judy Clark, Sheila Culp, Judy Fairchild, Mary Ellen Francis, Susan Hubka, Joyce Humble, Joyce Mullins, Pamela Sims, Rosemary Upshaw, Linda Welch, Sharon Griffith, Linda Ballenger, Eva Mae Beaudoin, Theresa Ann Belote, Patricia Dennis, Susan Ferguson, Betty Jean Hakim, Marretta Hiedenrich, Diane McIntosh, and Jennie Clare Carroll.

PREVENT A MESS

If you think there is any possibility of a fruit pie or pudding bubbling over, don't take a chance! Put a piece of aluminum foil just a little larger than the pan underneath it in the oven. This way you'll catch drippings and save oven mess. Only don't cover the oven rack completely with the foil, or you'll block off some of the necessary heat.



MRS. GEORGE MADISON SARTOR

Miss Harper, George Sartor Wed In Afternoon Ceremony

On November 26 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon in the Mangham Baptist Church Miss Marilyn Harper exchanged marriage vows with George Madison Sartor in an impressive double

ceremony, solemnized by Reverend W. L. Blackwell of Alto. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harper of Mangham and Mrs. Frank Sartor and the late Mr. Sartor of Alto. Mr. Sartor is the grandson of Mrs. Beulah Williams, also of Alto.

The nuptial music was presented by Mickey Brown, organist, who accompanied Mrs. Kenneth Bradshaw who sang, "My Hero," "At Dawning" and "One Alone."

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a gown of net over satin. The tight fitting bodice was fashioned of old ivory chintilly lace. Her fingertip veil fell from a crown effect of lace and net. She carried a bouquet of cream colored chrysanthemums centered with brown orchids. She wore the traditional something old, something borrowed and something blue.

Miss Jean Harper, sister of the bride, was her maid of honor and Miss Martha Sartor, cousin of the bridegroom was the only bridesmaid. They wore identical gowns of red net over tulle with velvet bodices. Their hats were of matching net and they carried yellow chrysanthemums with brown centers.

Dan W. Sartor served his brother as best man. George Meichen and Dr. Warren Hunt of Rayville were the ushers.

Receiving at the reception which followed the ceremony was Mrs. Harper, mother of the bride, wearing a dress of rose lace over tulle with matching hat and a corsage of white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Sartor chose a dress of purple crepe with rhinestone trim and a corsage of cream chrysanthemums. Mrs. Williams, the grandmother of the bridegroom, was in black crepe with a white corsage. The bride's table was covered with a white cloth. Candelabra

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Street, William Charles and Elizabeth Street, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKendree, Jr., Sam Britton, Fred Bennett and Mrs. W. A. Dunn of Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ewing of Ruston; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Harrell, R. G. Jarrell, Jr. of Egges; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harper, Alma Harper, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hargis, Sannie Dea Harper, Helen Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harper of Crowley; Mr. and Mrs. Emory S. Lunsford, Jean Lunsford, Roswell, Ga.; Ann Lunsford, Royston, Ga.; Mrs. Julian Shipp, Jollen Parkie, Winnsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Boughton, Baton Rouge; John A. Baskin, Beaumont, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Meredith, Irving, Tex.; Mrs. W. O. Boughton, Mary Oliver Boughton, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunt, Jimmie Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Son Laechen, Billie Joe Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chaney, Mrs. T. M. Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sartor of Rayville; Mr. and Mrs. Puckle Mulburn; Mrs. Ina Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Sartor, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sartor, Mrs. A. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Mulburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ball, Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Alto; Theo McCoy, Baton Rouge; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Williams, Greensburg, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Barr, Oak Ridge; Mrs. Minnie Bridmore, Oak Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sartor, Shreveport; Mr. and Mrs. E. Alton Sartor, Jr., Elizabeth and Balfour Sartor, Shreveport, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Muchum, Mrs. L. N. Dunaway, Rayville.

Trim Your Own Christmas Tablecloth

Christmas is a time when you can let yourself go on gay decorations.

In addition to the holly wreaths and mantel greens, you might trim a tablecloth this year for Christmas dinner.

Start with a regular tablecloth—a pale green one would be attractive—and edge it with white ball fringe, which also is used to edge two sides of the matching napkins. Then decorate it with a Christmas tree on each corner, or on each side, as you prefer. The tree motif is made from dark green moss fringe for the tree, brown cotton cord for the trunk and the white balls from ball fringe for the trimmings.

To make the tree, cut the green moss fringe into 10 strips, the bottom strip 11 inches long and each strip 1 inch shorter until the top branch of 2 inches is cut.

Sew a 3-inch piece of brown cotton cord to your cloth for the tree trunk. Then stitch on your branches of green moss fringe, overlapping each row ¼ inch. Baste on cotton balls for trimming, and there you are.

All the trimmings can be found in the drapery trimming department of your favorite store. You can experiment with various color schemes—for instance, a white tree on a red tablecloth, with green trim, or a red tree on a charcoal gray cloth, with red and white ball fringe trim.

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News From The Public Library

During the month of November a total of \$15 new books were added to the library collection of the Ouachita Parish Public Library. Of this number 84 were adult books and 261 were children's books. Of course, many of these were duplicate copies, for we rarely buy single copies of children's books, adult fiction and the more popular type of non-fiction. The library collection now consists of 38,710 books. This is a very good number, but we are always adding new books to the collection. In addition to our own resources, we can borrow books from the Louisiana State Library to meet the needs of patrons who wish to read a book, which we do not own.

In the past weeks I have told you about many of the interesting new fiction books and I devoted one entire issue to a discussion of the outstanding children's books, so today I want to tell you about some of the more practical titles which are recent additions to our collection. One of the most useful as well as timely books is "The Christmas Idea Book" by Dorothy Biddle. This book is filled with the most fascinating information on how to make your Christmas more beautiful.

"Denizens of the Deep" by Philip While is a fascinating account of deep sea fishing. "The Wonders of Modern Medicine" by Steven M. Spencer contains much hopeful information for those suffering with dread diseases. If you are interested in one of the most beautiful sermons ever to be preached, read "Let's Keep Christmas" by Peter Marshall. For beauty of language and expression it has no equal.

Cookbooks are always popular with our patrons and the latest one is "Parents Magazine Family Cookbook" which contains a great many fine recipes. "Drinking in College" by Robert Strauss is a careful examination of the question which worries many parents. It is a well-documented book and should be most enlightening. "The Mastery of Oil Painting" by Frederic Taube is a very valuable book for the beginning painter as well as the more experienced one. Another book which will appeal to artists and lovers of the beautiful is "Japanese Wood Block Prints" by Shizuya Fudjikake.

B. A. Botkin is an authority on the subject of folklore. He has made several collections such as the treasury of southern folklore, "The Treasury of American Folklore" and "The Treasury of Western Folklore." His latest title is "A Treasury of Railroad Folklore" and should delight the heart of all railroad men, either retired or present-day. It is full of all sorts of interesting stories, facts and fiction. Another book of interest to railroad men is "Victory Rode the Rails" by George Edgar Turner. This is a story of the part played by the railroads during the Civil War.

A perfectly delightful book based on the life of Rogers and Hammerstein is "Some Enchanted Evenings" by Deems Taylor. "Man, Time and Fossils" by Ruth Moore is an interesting exposition of the science of archeology. It is the sort of book which makes each one of us want to take up this interesting pursuit.

With the advent of two new television stations in Monroe, we have tried to build up our collection of material relating to this art. One new book is called "Producing and Directing Television" by Charles Adams and the other is "Television Broadcasting" by Howard Chinn. Both of these books are recent publications and contain much worthwhile information.

Remember that these are only a few of the very useful books to be found at your public library. If you are not in the habit of using the library, you are missing a wonderful opportunity for pleasure and profit.



FIRST BIRTHDAY — Marsha Kaye Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Walker, recently celebrated her first birthday at her home here. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Brown.

Santa Can't Miss A Gay Felt Stocking

The night before Christmas — and what Santa could resist filling a gay felt stocking, decorated with holiday touches? No chance of a mix up, either, with the owner's name written on the cuff in glittering sequins.

For a wonderful pre-Christmas gift, which will do duty each Yuletide for years to come, make a special stocking for each child on your list, following these directions from your local sewing center:

You will need 3/4 yards of red felt, mercerized thread to match, and a 10 by 12 inch piece of white felt for the cuff. Scraps of colored felt for appliques and assorted beads and sequins will provide the basis for the decorations.

First cut a pattern, marking measurements as shown on brown paper. Use your pinkie shears to cut the felt and cut two strips, 1 by 5 inches, for a loop at the top.

Make the pattern for the cuff and use pinkie shears to cut.

Then let your imagination go — using your scraps of felt, cut trees, stars, angels, jingle bells, candy canes and horns. Make your own designs or use magazine pictures for patterns. Stitch down, or attach with beads and sequins. It is necessary to complete the decorations before putting the stocking together. Fill in spaces between with star-shaped sequins.

Use a continuous row of sequins to make a name on the cuff.

Now stitch together the edges of the stocking, leaving the top open. Join the edges of the two strips, fold to make a loop and pin to outside of stocking back. Sew the side edges of the cuff together, and slip over the stocking, shorter side up. Matching the edges, pin and stitch to stocking top, catching the loop in the back.

Then hang on a nail over your fireplace, and let Santa take care of the rest.



MRS. MELBON R. BERRY

Couple Says Vows In Galveston Church

One of the loveliest fall weddings of the season was that of Miss Dora Lee Hansen, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Theodore Hansen of Galveston, Tex. and Mr. Melbon Ray Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Berry of West Monroe.

The double ring ceremony was performed at eight o'clock in the evening, Saturday, November 22 at the First Baptist Church in Galveston. Dr. Harold L. Fickett officiated at the ceremony.

Vows were exchanged beneath a vine covered arch decorated with greenery and white chrysanthemums, placed before a background of green palms.

Preceding the ceremony, Walter Hart, cousin of the groom, sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly." Accompanist for him was Kenton Parton. After the vows, he sang "The Lord's Prayer" during which he was accompanied by Miss Joyce Adams, violinist, and Mr. Parton at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was wearing a gown of satin and rosepoint lace in deep candlelight tone. A panel of lace extended from the low cut sweet-

heart neckline to the floor. The bouffant skirt extended into a long cathedral train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a satin coronet which was embroidered in rose medallions of seed pearls. Her bouquet was a shower arrangement of orchids, stephanotis and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Lloyd Horton, matron of honor, was attired in a gown featuring a fitted velvet bodice with a full nylon tulle skirt over taffeta. Her bouquet was a cascade arrangement of bronze chrysanthemums.

Miss Billye Lawrence of Galveston and Mrs. Joyce Ann Groon of West Monroe served as bridesmaids. Miss Judith Ann Oliver was junior bridesmaid. They wore dresses identical with the matron of honor.

Little Miss Pamela Crow wore a floor length model of white satin and carried the wedding rings on an ice blue velvet pillow. Attending the groom as best man was Willard Peacock.

Walter Hart and Paul Douglas Smith were groomsmen. Ushers were Lester Rice and Marvin Mounce.

The bride's mother was attired in a street length dress of black crepe trimmed with gold sequins. Mrs. Berry, mother of the groom, was becomingly gowned in a navy

model with a corsage of yellow chrysanthemums.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Stewart Memorial Parlors in the church.

The bride's table was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth with a centerpiece of large white chrysanthemums, flanked by cathedral tapers in crystal candelabra. A miniature bride and groom topped the three-tiered wedding cake.

Assisting with the courtesies were: Misses Mickey June Smith, Flora Alice Stewart, Shirley Wilson, Florence Davey, Mrs. Willard Peacock.

For traveling the bride changed to a navy suit with navy and white accessories. Her corsage was a purple orchid. Following a wedding trip to points in Louisiana and Texas, the couple are now at home at 4206 South First street, Galveston, Texas.

Out-of-Town Guests

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Fatheree, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Crow and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wilson and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Harvey, Miss Mildred Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Elzy, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Elzy, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Tally Bailey, Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McKown, all of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Stevens of Conroe; Dr. Marie Stephens and Maurice, Miss Joyce Adams, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence and son all of Pasadena; Major and Mrs. Fred Cherb of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cain of Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence of Dayton; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donahoe of La Marque; Mr. Walter Hart of Shreveport; Mrs. James C. Berry and Mrs. Sheldon Groon of West Monroe; Mrs. W. T. Hart and Mrs. John Washam of Transylvania.

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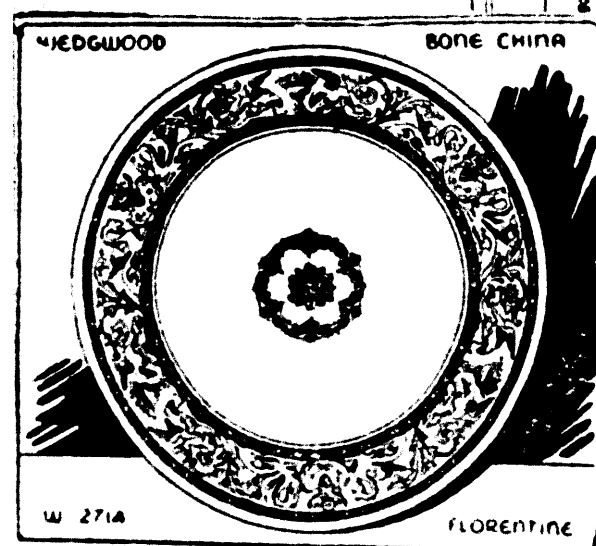
HARTFORD, Conn. (AP)—A woman was fired for fighting on the job. A commissioner ruled that she was entitled to collect unemployment compensation benefits because she "merely defended herself from an unprovoked attack by another employee," also a woman.

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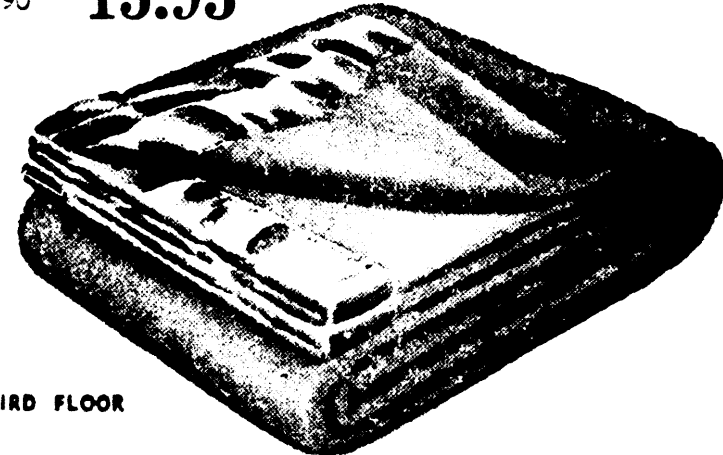
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MISS MADELINE LYONS' engagement to Jo Lynn Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrell of Bastrop, is announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Voris Lyons of West Monroe. The wedding will be solemnized at St. Paschal's Catholic Church on December 29.

Dowdy-Drake Vows To Be Said Sunday

Miss Vera Drake's approaching marriage to Vernon Dowdy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dowdy of West Monroe is announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther L. Drake, West Monroe.

In the evening at St. Paschal Catholic Church, with Father Humilius officiating, Miss Drake will be attended by Miss Caroline Jowers who will serve as maid of honor. The groom will have as his best man Thomas Dowdy.

The bride-elect is a graduate of St. Paschal's High School. Friends of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony.

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MRS. LEO WILLIAMS MILES

Vows Pledged By Couple In Church Ceremony

In a ceremony performed at 1 o'clock in the afternoon in St. James Episcopal Church in Pulaski, N. Y., Miss Nancy Ann Nutting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mansford Nutting became the bride of Leo William Miles, son of Mrs. Gladys Miles of Monroe.

Reverend Howard St. Cyr read the vows before an altar banked with palms and white chrysanthemums. The bride given in marriage by her father wore a suit of powder blue wool. A small white

hat with harmonizing accessories completed her costume. She wore a white orchid.

Her only attendant, Miss Audrey Nutting, her sister, chose a gold wool suit and carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums.

Earl Davidson of Pulaski served as best man.

The bride's home was the scene for the reception following the ceremony. The dining table, covered with a white cloth was centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums and white gladioli. At one end of the table was the three tiered wedding cake and at the other end Miss Carol Nutting, sister of the bride, served punch. After a honeymoon at Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Miles are at home in New Albany, Miss.

Ward-McCormick Vows Are Pledged In Candlelight Ceremony Thanksgiving

Miss Betty Frances McCormick became the bride of the Rev. Connie Eugene Ward on Thursday, November 26 at six o'clock in the evening at the College Place Baptist Church

White pompon mums decorated the church altar. The couple exchanged their vows under an arch of southern smilax with a myriad of cathedral tapers in the background.

Given in marriage by her father, Mr. Perry McCormick, the bride wore a white tulle wall-length gown with a chantilly lace bolero and fingertip veil edged in chantilly lace. Her bouquet was of white stephanotis.

Miss Martha Carolyn Upshaw, a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a peacock blue nylon net with ruffles forming an apron effect. Her dress was also ankle length with a matching stole. She carried large white mums in a nosegay bouquet.

Bridesmaids were Miss Marilyn McCormick, sister of the bride and Miss Jewell Adams. They wore identical frocks of pink nylon net with ruffles matching the maid of honor's dress. They also wore net stoles and carried bouquets of mums.

Susan Ferguson and Rosemary Upshaw were flowergirls and carried white baskets of rose petals.

Both wore ankle length frocks of white nylon net and full skirts. Mr. Henry Tatum served the groom as best man. Groomsmen were Mr. Jimmy Tucker, Mr. Aubrey Aaron, Mr. Roland Kelly and Mr. Howard Williams.

The bride's mother chose for the occasion a navy blue model with a corsage of pink mums. The groom's mother, Mrs. C. Ward, was wearing a becoming black flannel model with a corsage of mums.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry McCormick on North McGuire.

Pink decorations were used throughout the house. The dining table was overlaid with a circular white organdy cloth and centered with a three-tiered wedding cake embossed in large pink roses. Pink satin bows surrounded the cake.

A cut glass punch bowl was placed on the serving table and surrounded by greenery.

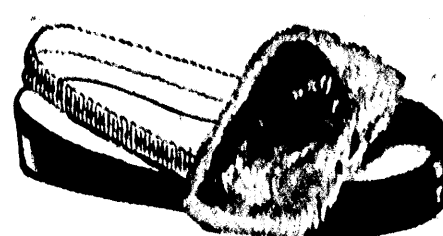
The bride's aunt, Mrs. Otto Ferguson, presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. LeRoy Williams served the wedding cake. Others assisting with the courtesies were Mrs. Elton Upshaw and Mrs. J. McCormick. For traveling the bride changed to a gray suit with a white hat and red accessories. The couple departed on a wedding trip to Hot Springs, Ark.

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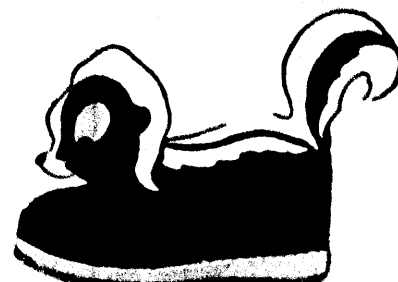
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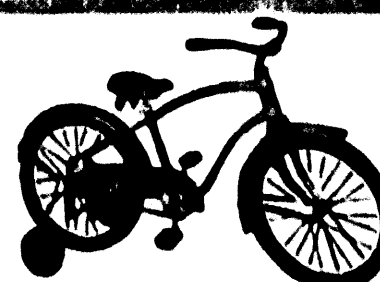


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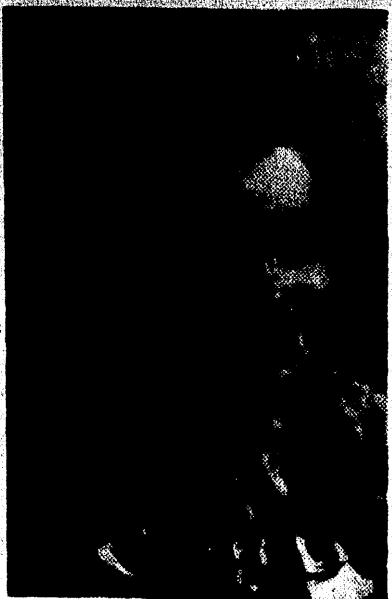
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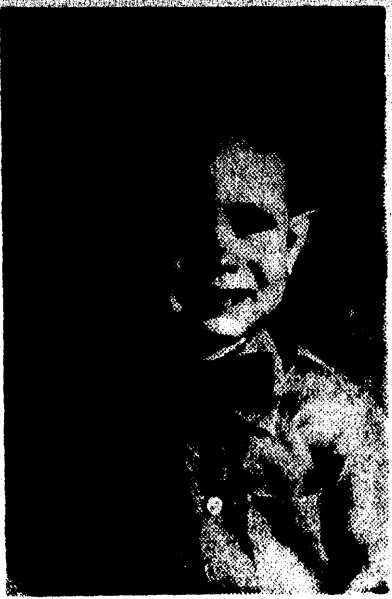
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SECOND BIRTHDAY—Herbie Glenn Barfield Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Barfield of West Monroe celebrated his birthday on November 26.

SAVINGS FOR SPINSTERS
RIO DE JANEIRO (AP)—Brazil's old maids—at the age of 25—may soon get income tax relief.
Federal Deputy Aarao Steinbruch has announced a bill exempting single women of 25 or over from the payment of the 15 per cent additional income tax on bachelors.

Steinbruch explained that if girls aren't married by that age it usually is because they haven't found anyone to marry them and so must support themselves.
Crepe-paper streamers add gay-ety to party decorations. Have plenty on hand for New Year's Eve celebration.



MRS. JOSEPH JACOB

Jean Hatten, Joseph Jacob Exchange Vows In Church

Miss Jean Hatten and Joseph Jacob exchanged wedding vows in an impressive candlelight ceremony at seven-thirty o'clock Saturday evening November 21 at the College Place Baptist Church. The Reverend C. R. Nix pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church officiated at the double ring ceremony.
The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Y. W. Hatten of Olla. Mr. Jacob's parents are Mrs. C. E. Petty of Monroe, and Mr. Joseph Jacob, Sr. of Farmerville.
The altar was decorated with candelabra holding graduated lengths of white cathedral tapers. These alternated with tall baskets of white gladioli and greenery. White satin bows marked the pews reserved for close friends and relatives.
Mr. J. B. Bradshaw rendered a concert of pre-nuptial music, and accompanied Miss Flora Dell Jones who sang "Because" and "The Bridal Chorus."
The bride entered with her brother-in-law, Mr. Fontaine Emmons, who gave her in marriage. Her wedding gown of chantilly lace over white satin was fashioned with a tight bodice and long sleeves ending in lily points over her hands. Her shoulder veil fell from a plaited lace coronet entwined with seed pearls. Her bouquet in the shape of an old fashioned nose-length of white cathedral tapers, surrounded by white gladioli and ruffles of white net.
Mrs. Fontaine Emmons, sister of the bride was matron of honor. Her dress was cerise net over satin. It was made with a fitted strapless bodice, worn with a stole. The ballerina length skirt was fashioned in tiers. A rhinestone necklace and matching earrings enhanced the costume. Her head

band was of plaited cerise net, anchored on each side with tiny bronze chrysanthemums. She carried a bouquet made of bronze chrysanthemums, outlined with a ruffle of green net to form a nose-gay.
The bridesmaids, Mrs. Shirley Travis, Miss Happy McDonald, and Mrs. Louis Constanza were dressed and carried bouquets identical to the matron of honor.
Raymond Emmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fontaine Emmons, served his aunt as ringbearer. The junior bridesmaids, Sandra Sue Crain daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Farington and Barbara Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Walker, both of Urania wore identical dresses of leaf green tulle, with fitted bodices, puffed sleeves and floor length skirts.
Mr. R. Tex Kilpatrick served as best man. The ushers were Messrs. Larry Tucker and Johnnie Johnson; the groomsmen were Messrs. Shady Walls, Johnnie Parkson, and Louis Constanza.
For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Hatten chose a teal blue lace dress with which she wore a corsage of white split carnations. Mrs. Petty, the groom's mother, was wearing a gown of champagne chantilly lace over satin. Her corsage was of split rose carnations.
A reception was held in the social center of the church, immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was centered with the wedding cake, embossed with bridal roses and a miniature bride and groom topping it. Pouring punch was Mrs. Milton Adams, and serving the wedding cake was Mrs. Frances Gilbert. Mrs. Marie Moncrief had charge of the bride's book.
For her wedding trip to New Orleans and other points on the coast the bride wore a mauve suit with a smart hat of the same color with black accessories. She wore the orchid from her bouquet as a corsage.
Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Y. W. Hatten, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Farington, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Walker all of Urania, and Mrs. E. L. Williams, aunt of the groom, from Memphis, Tenn.
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Mrs. Rushing Hostess To Garden Club

Mrs. Jack Rushing was hostess to the Bayou DeSiard Garden Club when it met Wednesday at her lovely home in Edgewater Gardens for the annual Christmas party and regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Carl J. Thompson was co-hostess.
Beautiful holiday arrangements were used to decorate the living room.
A short business session was followed by an interesting discussion on arrangements to be used on Special Occasions throughout the year by Mrs. Thompson.
Attractive gifts were exchanged among the members and an offering was taken which will be used to help some family at Christmas time.
A delicious desert was enjoyed by the following: Mrs. Carter

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St. Anne's Circle Meets

The members of St. Anne's Circle will have their annual Christmas meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Russell Kynoch. Each year the members of this circle prepare Christmas baskets for needy families to be distributed a few days before Christmas, for the added pleasure of the little children, each member brings a toy which will be added to the baskets.

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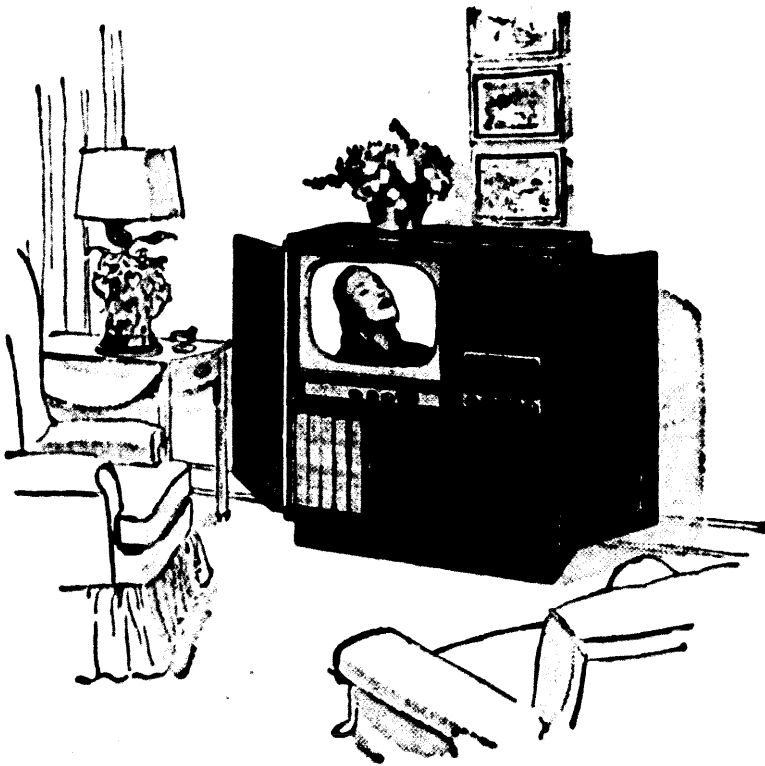


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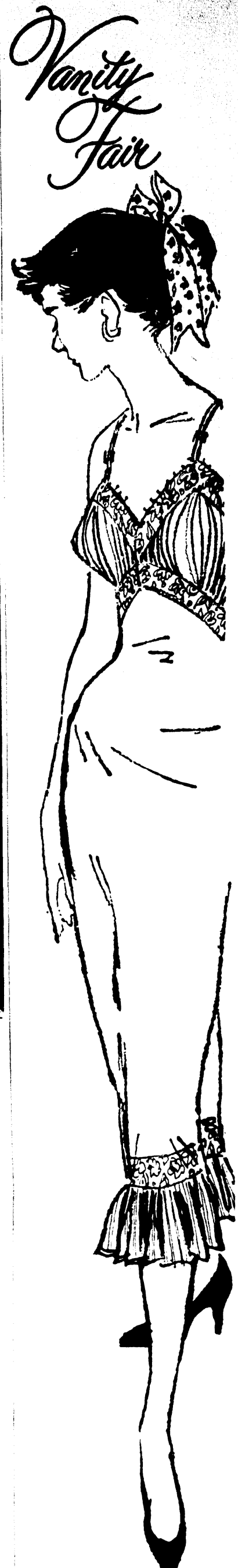
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MISS MARIE JEAN LEGGETT'S engagement to Arnold Lee Lewis, of Darnell, is announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Leggett of this city. The wedding will be solemnized at eight o'clock December 18 at the Cleft Rock Baptist church.



MISS PATRICIA CAROLYN TIMMERMAN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Timmermann will become the bride of Edwin Scholling Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Scholling of Fort Lauderdale, Florida. The wedding will be solemnized at the Gordon Avenue Methodist Church, December 26.



MRS. H. V. PIEROT prior to her wedding in Columbus, Georgia was Miss Cecilia Estelle Aaron, daughter of Mrs. Sylvan Coleman. The couple are at home in San Francisco, Cal. until Sgt. Pierot leaves for overseas duty.

Miss Shepherd Says Vows In Candlelight Ceremony

TALLULAH—IN a beautiful candlelight ceremony at the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon, the anniversary of her parents' wedding, Miss Shirley Mai Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Shepherd, became the bride of Robert M. Bentley officiated at the impressive double ring ceremony in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. Sprays of ivy were entwined on

the altar rail and on the tall white standards holding white cathedral candles. At each end of the altar stood tall white floor baskets filled with white gladioli and chrysanthemums, making a lovely setting for the wedding.

Proceeding the entrance of the bride, Miss LeEvelyn Grace and Mrs. Frank McDonald, organist, played "Traumerer" and "Romance" by Schumann and accompanied Dr. H. H. Emerick who sang, "Because" and as a benediction at the end of the ceremony, "The Lord's Prayer". The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bridesmaids, Miss LeEvelyn Grace and Mrs. Frank McDonald, and maid of honor, Miss Shiela Smith of Pine Bluff, Ark., wore identical dresses of lime green satin and net worn with satin boleros. Their flowers were bronze chrysanthemums on satin muffs and they wore halo headresses of green.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiantly lovely in her bridal dress of cream satin fashioned with high neckline and mandarin collar and long fitted sleeves with lily points over the wrists. Panels of chantilly lace extended in the front and back from neck to the end of the skirt which fell into a regal train. Tiny covered buttons trimmed the bodice from the neck to the waist line. The fingertip veil of illusion fell from a chaplet around the head and she carried a bouquet of feathered carnations, nylon tulie and ribbon.

The bridegroom had as his best man, Jerry Shepherd, brother of the bride and the ushers were Burney Rock Westmoreland, Frank McDonald, M. J. Shauherger Jr. and Charles Beach of Jackson, Miss. Mrs. Shepherd, mother of the bride, chose for the occasion a dress of rose mauve lace with which she wore a corsage of lavender pom poms. Mrs. Grimes the groom's mother wore blue lace and a corsage of orchid colored pom poms. The three grandmothers wore corsages of white carnations. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd entertained with a lovely reception at the Book Club building which had been beautifully decorated with glossy magnolia leaves, white candles and white flowers. The refreshment table with its white net cover over satin caught at the corners with clusters of wedding bells, held the handsomely embossed three tiered wedding cake, silver candelabra and silver punch bowl. Mrs. R. T. Alexander presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. D. H. Ragar of Pine Bluff, Ark. served the cake. Mrs. M. L. Ekleberry of Dardanelle, Ark. had charge of registration in the bride's book. Assisting in the courtesies were Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mrs. Z. L. Chambliss and Mrs. John Carpenter.

Following the reception the bride changed her wedding attire for an original model of raisin wool with which she wore black accessories and a winter white hat. After a honeymoon trip the couple will reside in Thomastown.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Miss Bertie Eagle, Mr. George Eagle, Mrs. D. H. Ragar, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Mr. Everett Owens, Miss Lucy O'Neal, all of Pine Bluff, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ekleberry and Larry Ekleberry, Mrs. C. T. Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Halbrook of Dardanelle, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McAdams, Meridian, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. George Addison, Many, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson

Experts Give Advice On How To Clean Desks

If the household accounts, bills, receipts, tax returns, important and unimportant papers are pushing the nails right out of your home desk, how would you like a little help cleaning it up?

In addition to being untidy, a jumble of papers can be expensive. If a person, for example, claims you owe him twenty dollars on work he did three or four years ago, can you prove you've paid him?

Weeding out a drawer full of old papers, I realized I didn't know how long I ought to keep old receipts or which papers should be carefully guarded.

So I talked it over with Ray Garrett, one of Chicago's leading lawyers and vice chairman of the corporation, bank and business law section of the American Bar Association. He took a genial interest in the problem and admitted his own wife asked for exactly the same kind of help.

His advice made good sense so let's get to the desk. If your desk or drawer is really jumbled up, better separate current accounts from last year's and these from the one-of-a-kind papers, such as insurance policies, discharge papers, equipment warranties and tax records.

The more informal your filing system, the more apt it is to be used, Garrett noted. An expand-

ing paper letter file, for example, makes a convenient and accessible container. He advises using one folder for each year. In it keep all bills, receipts, cancelled checks and tax form duplicates.

Hang on to all U. S. tax data for five years, advises Garrett. That includes the report you filed and any checks, receipts or records to support deductions other than the standard deduction allowed.

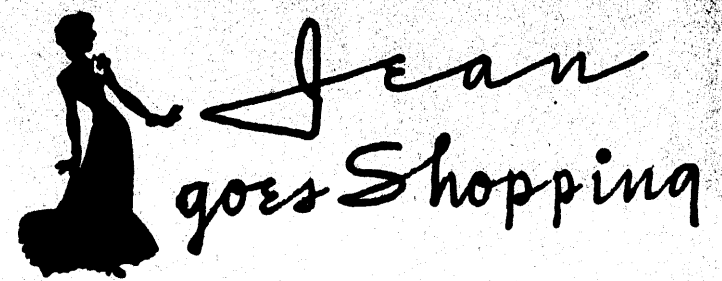
Although tax records are outlawed after three years, except in cases of fraud, Garrett says the five-year rule gives Uncle Sam plenty of time to check your return.

Now call a businessman, a banker or lawyer and ask him what your state's statute of limitations is. That's so you'll know how long you should legally treasure the bills from individuals, stores or

private companies and your proof of payment. In Illinois, for example, bills like these (based on oral contract) are outlawed after five years. Garrett also advises us that if a bill arrives undated and unitemized (such as "For Professional Services . . . \$5") get the receipt dated and signed.

Find a safe place, such as a stout metal box, where all family papers can be kept together. As a double precaution, Garrett strongly urges the ex-serviceman to have a photostat made of his discharge papers so that the original can be kept in the box, the copy in another safe place.

The smart home secretary will also keep a written record of insurance policy number, company, amount, and beneficiary, as well as the original policies. Keep insurance policies as long as they are in force. Keep premium receipts at least until the next premium notice arrives to make sure there's been no error in billing.



Now that the holiday season actually has begun, it would be a lot of fun to know how to do the up-to-the minute dance steps which you can learn at the ARTHUR MURRAY STUDIO at 108 1/2 St. John. Think what a figure you can cut at the dances by being an expert at the tango, the rumba and mambo, and if you wish, the jitterbug. Put some lessons on your Christmas list too. Phone 2-4930.

Miraculously only one small box of the beautiful gifts at ARON'S PHARMACY was damaged when the roof collapsed recently and you can see all of them on display at the former store site at 508 N. 3rd. There are lots of fascinating new earrings in stock including some beautiful pastel mink ones priced at only \$1.00. Here's the place to load up on costume jewelry if you want lots of pretty changes. Stop in and look around tomorrow.

These chocolate wafer baskets make elegant desserts: 1/2 cup (8 7 oz. pkg. semi-sweet chocolate pieces) 20 sugar wafers. 1 pint FOREMOST ICE CREAM. Melt chocolate over hot water (about 15 minutes).

Dip one side of sugar wafer in melted chocolate. Arrange 4 wafers around one wafer to form a box. Chill. Fill with ice cream for serving. You'll have a hard-to-beat treat, and one that's very unusual.

There are some fascinating Christmas centerpieces of all kinds to be had at DOERR'S PARKER, FLOWER & GIFT SHOP, 614 Catalpa. There are arrangements for mantels too, as well as for doors and other spots in your house. Mrs. Doerr also still has some of those cunning parakeets of a highly bred talking strain, and can you think of a more delightful surprise for someone's holiday?

For a collector of fine things nothing could beat the beautiful Bavarian steins and liquor and brandy barrels to be had at the A & A PACKAGE STORE, 307 Louisville. Even if you don't want to buy them you'd enjoy seeing these beautiful pieces in all sizes and at all prices. A person who likes to amuse his friends with gifts would love the set of goofy golfers' tees to be found here along with all the other novelties.

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Fraternity members and sponsors make plans with Dean William M. Smith for the open house this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mary Ann Buze is seated and Barbara and Nell Rogers are on either side. Behind them are Bill Harrington and Bobby Mitchell.

Sigma
Alpha
Chi



Above—The opening of the Sigma Alpha Chi house, the first fraternity house of Northeast State, has been a long looked for event. In the center of the picture is "The Sweetheart of Sigma Alpha Chi," Miss Sally Ann Hayes. On her left, are Miss Jo Ann McDonald, sponsor, and Vernon Wilson. On her right are Miss Nelda Reppond and Harry Petty.

Right—Herschel Gentry and sponsors Miss Betty Craig and Miss Anna Beth Lewis welcome Major Alfred L. Singer and Captain James Marshall, faculty advisers, on their first visit to the new house on Spurgeon Drive.

Left—Bilbo Wilson, Tom Reece Hutson and Bob Curry are three of the nine fraternity members who are living in the new house at 3900 Spurgeon Drive. Miss Maud Marie Holmes is the house mother.



Hat-Making Caps Fun-Filled Party

Children's parties are much more likely to be successful (for both the children and their mothers) when activities are planned carefully for them.

Once they have had their ice cream, cake and candy, the youngsters are usually bursting with extra energy. With a good plan, you can curb that energy.

For children in the six to eight-year-old group, making their party hats should prove a pleasant occupation. A prize to the creators of

the prettiest, loudest, funnest — and neatest — hats would be in order, of course.

In addition to crepe paper in bright colors, the children will need colorless nail polish, pipe cleaners, gold and silver metallic dust, paste, cotton, Christmas balls, tinsel, needle and thread and silver stars.

You might assign a couple of the children to make one of the following: fringed cap, Christmas tree hat, cone star hat, poinsettia hat and Santa's cap. The directions for each hat follow:

Fringed cap — Cut paper 15 inches deep in direction of paper's grain by 2 inches, or desired head size. Cut one long edge into fringe one inch deep with the grain. Cut opposite edge into fringe 7 inches deep. Fold the short fringed edge back 2 inches. Paste back seam up 6 inches, gather hat together just below the long fringe and tie. Brush tips of fringe with lacquer and sprinkle with gold dust.

Christmas tree hat — Cut a strip of paper 15 inches with the grain by head size. Fold an inch and a half back on one long edge; then fold over again, making a double cuff at the bottom. Paste up back

seam, gather open edges together at top with needle and thread. Paste two silver stars back to back over 3-inch pipe cleaner and sew to top of hat. Loop silver tinsel around hat and catch at intervals with small Christmas balls.

Cone star hat — Cut a 20-inch square, fold in diagonally and roll into a cone with folded edge at the point. Make cone fit head and trim off uneven edges. Paste all open edges down. Trim with silver stars.

For the pom-pom: cut a strip of paper 3 inches wide by 24 inches, fold in half lengthwise, cut open edges into fringe 1 inch deep, gather folded edge and tie tightly into pom-pom. Brush fringed tips lightly with lacquer and sprinkle with silver dust. Make two pom-poms, paste one to each side of tip of cone. Brush bottom edge lightly with lacquer and sprinkle with silver dust.

Poinsettia hat — Cut a strip of

paper 16 inches deep with the grain by head size. Turn an inch and a half up, then turn back again making a double cuff at the bottom. Divide top into six pointed petals 7 inches deep. Paste back seam up 6 inches. Gather below petals and tie. Attach small Christmas balls to the tip of each petal. Flute top of cuff by stretching the paper between thumb and forefinger of each hand.

Santa's cap — Cut two pieces of paper 15 inches with the grain by head size. Place one over the other for double thickness and stitch 2-inch-wide strip along edge of crown. Cut opposite edge into fringe 3 and a half inches deep, then paste seam together to form a cylinder. Gather top of hat below fringe and tie with spoolwire. Cover with a strip of cotton. Fold fringe down to side of cap and sew to side.

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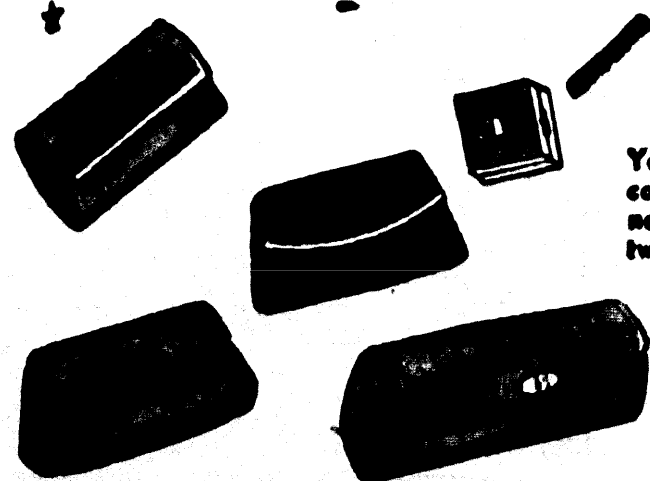
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Gift Problem Festive Fuses Just The Thing

From now until after the Christmas Eve office party, I'll thank all the beforehand shoppers to leave me alone with my gift problems.

I am a last minute shopper by nature, if not by choice. I simply cannot seem to get into the spirit of Christmas shopping until the crowds are out, the sales-people harassed and the best items snatched up. What's more, I never seem to be able to think up just the perfect gift for each person on my list, so I wait until the last possible moment and snatch up whatever seems available and will get by.

One of the reasons some people shop early, I have concluded, is so they can brag and nag about it between Thanksgiving and Christmas. I just thank my stars that they are seasonal birds, because there is positively nothing more nervous-making than listening to an early shopper when you haven't even set down your list of gifts on the back of a used envelope.

I know shoppers who work on Christmas the year around. One woman of my acquaintance took one day of a two-day tourist visit to Paris last summer to find a little shop on an obscure street and order a wide assortment of hand monogrammed handkerchiefs for Yule distribution.

Several months ago a fore-sighted friend invested in new glassware. She ordered tumblers, old-fashioned cocktail and wine glasses for herself—and at the same time ordered extra dozens of assorted glassware of the same pattern, all earmarked for Christmas gifts.

"Now," she remarked comfortably, "if I give a party and need more glasses, I'll know just where I can borrow some that match my pattern."

Others Hurtle Through Obviously, neither of these thoughtful operations are possible for the habitual, last minute shopper. We have to rely on swift footwork, sheer ingenuity and shock effects.

One year I was pretty proud of myself for hurrying through the annual chore in something less than 30 minutes. I purchased three dozen salt spoons and distributed them around to one and all. Everyone uses salt, I figured, and even if some of my recipients are too young to appreciate a personal salt spoon now, they will grow up to know and love it. The only slightly adverse reaction was from my cousin's family, which, in toto, received eight.

This year I propose to try a new late shopping device. Instead of going to the usual places to buy my gifts and fighting the crowds, I shall patronize off-beat spots like plumbing supply houses, hardware and drugstores.

All sorts of fascinating and useful presents are available, like assorted faucet washers, electric box fuses and kegs of nails. I'll bet some folks would even appreciate new locks for their front doors. Let others provide the handsome little flacons of perfume, I'll gift my friends with big, economy size bottles of aspirin tablets quickly available at the prescription counter of my local drugstore.

After all, the value of the gift is in the spirit of the giver, and by Christmas Eve, I'm full of spirit.

Yule Fun For Young Children

When the piggy bank brigade starts shopping for Christmas gifts, it's a good idea to direct their attention to gifts they can make, with small outlay of capital and large dividends of fun.

One gift any little girl can make is a batch of Christmas cookies wrapped together with a package of paper plates in which to serve them, and paper napkins with a Christmas motif to accompany them.

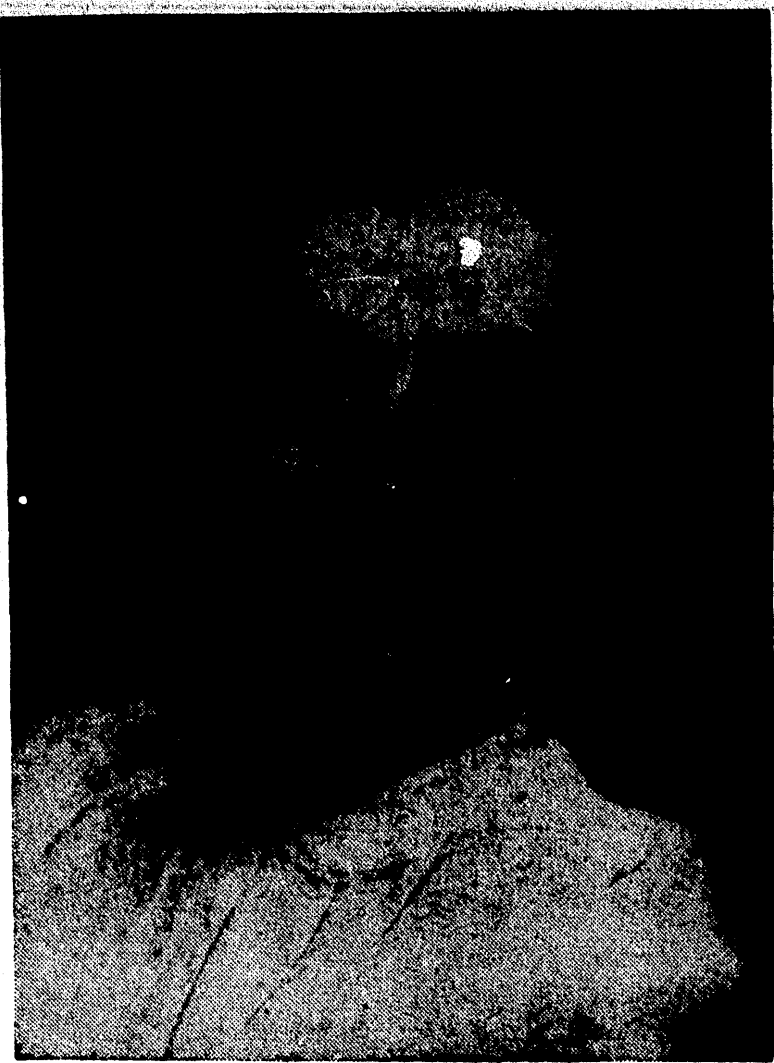
The young cook may either use one of her mother's favorite cookie recipes, or a packaged mix, cutting the cookies in fanciful shapes and decorating them with bits of candied cherries, red and green sugar, nuts, colored icings, or whatever she may dream up.

After the cookies are made, the wrapping begins. About 24 cookies are placed on a 9 inch paper plate with a Christmas motif. Under this go a dozen gay Christmas paper napkins and then a package of smaller decorated paper plates. The whole stack is slipped onto a sheet of clear cellophane which is drawn up, bunched together and tied on top with a red ribbon bow.

Camel color appears throughout the sportswear fashion picture! Not only is the ever-popular classic Camel hair coat newly-important for Fall, but dresses and sportswear are appearing in blends of wool and camel hair.

Camel-color wool skirts, with white sweaters or jersey blouses, are real trend-setters. Camel-color or fuzzy and fleecy fabrics are being shown in sportswear separates. "Camelton" sweaters, handbags, string gloves, sweaters, and felt hats are significant.

This new basic shade is universally flattering and lends itself beautifully to one-color outfits (camel all the way) or to interesting accents of bright-toned accessories.



MISS ADELE VAUGHT

Girdles Need Sudsing Often

Proper care of foundation garments is just as important as proper fit. So, now, while you teenagers are acquainting yourselves with the wearing of girdles and brassieres, consider how to get the most satisfactory wear from them.

Any garment will wear better if it is allowed to rest between wearings. Therefore, it is more economical to buy two girdles and two brassieres rather than just one set. In fact, it would be wise to invest in a third set. That way you will have one to wear, one to wash and one to rest.

Having a few sets, you will be able to wash the garments frequently; this is important. Perspiration, when allowed to stay in the garments, weakens the fibers. Consequently, to get maximum wear, you should wash your bras and girdles after every other wearing.

To wash, soak up to 10 minutes in warm soapsuds; then use a soft brush to remove soiled spots. Rinse several times in warm water. Roll the garment in a towel to remove excess moisture and ease it into shape gently with your finger tips. Lay it on another towel to dry.

Housewives will welcome a pencil that writes on glass and eliminates the need for labeling jars of preserves. Another kind of pencil does away with the old method of identifying garden vegetables with the seed packet. Using this moisture-resistant pencil, employed by professional nurserymen, the home gardener can tag her plants and doesn't have to worry about the rain erasing the name.



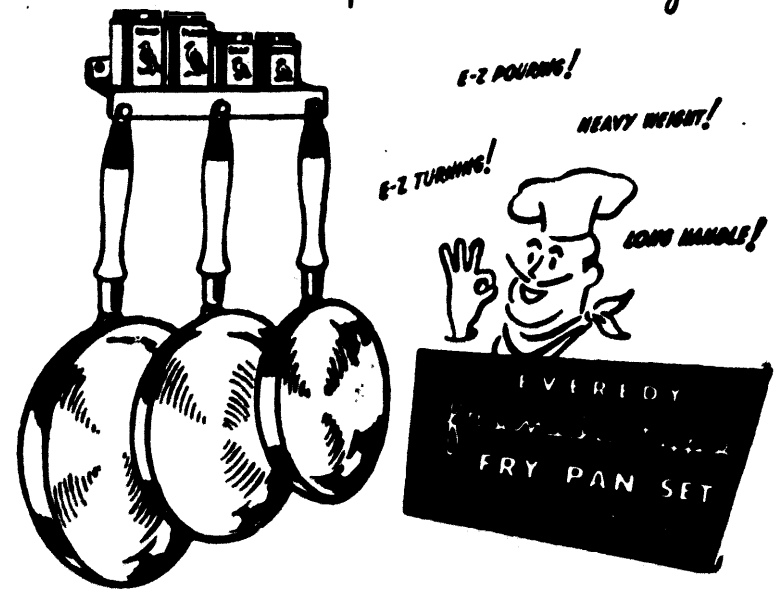
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Miss Vaught is a junior at L. S. U. majoring in home economics, a member of the Chi Omega sorority, Lambda Inter-Sorority, president of Inter-Dormitory and other activities.

Mr. Van Deren received his mas-

Lotion Prevents Flabbiness

It does not make sense to assume one problem in order to get rid of another. Yet that is what

ter's degree from L. S. U. in 1933, a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and is presently serving with the U. S. armed forces, stationed at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas. The wedding will be solemnized on Monday, December 21st at the Sicily Island Methodist Church.

so many women do when they reduce.

The fat that is broken down when one reduces includes that which cushions the skin. Without the cushion, the skin hangs loose, giving the face a haggard, drooping look.

Wrinkles appear on the skin and neck, and the flesh hangs in ugly folds on the arms. This will happen to a girl in her 20's as well as to an older woman.

However, exercise and proper lubrication will prevent these disastrous results. Special exercises

are not necessary; simply use those you have found good for general toning of the muscles of arms, face, neck and throat.

A lotion that combines soothing oils and tightening astringents is the best for preventing flabbiness and lines. One company that offers such a formula says that its lotion, when used twice a day during a reducing regimen, helps to give a keener mold and smoother outline to the face and to encourage the circulation that is necessary to revitalize skin.

Don't wear exaggerated earrings if your ears are over-sized or poorly shaped. Small earrings of simple design should be the best when you feel you must wear earrings.

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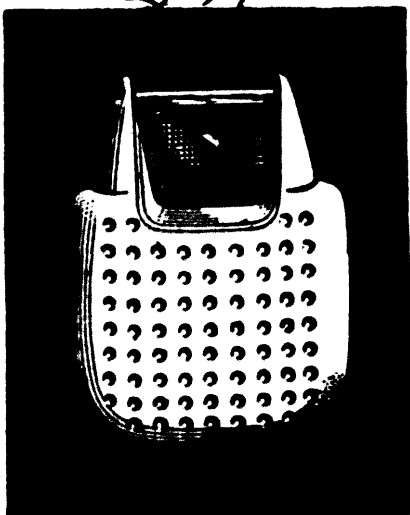
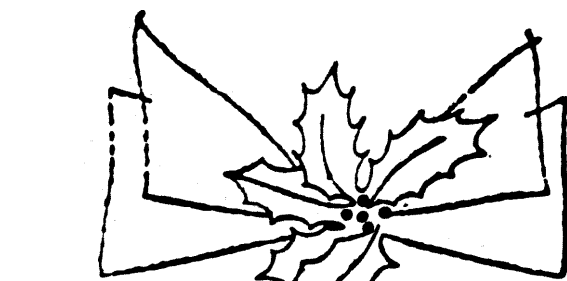
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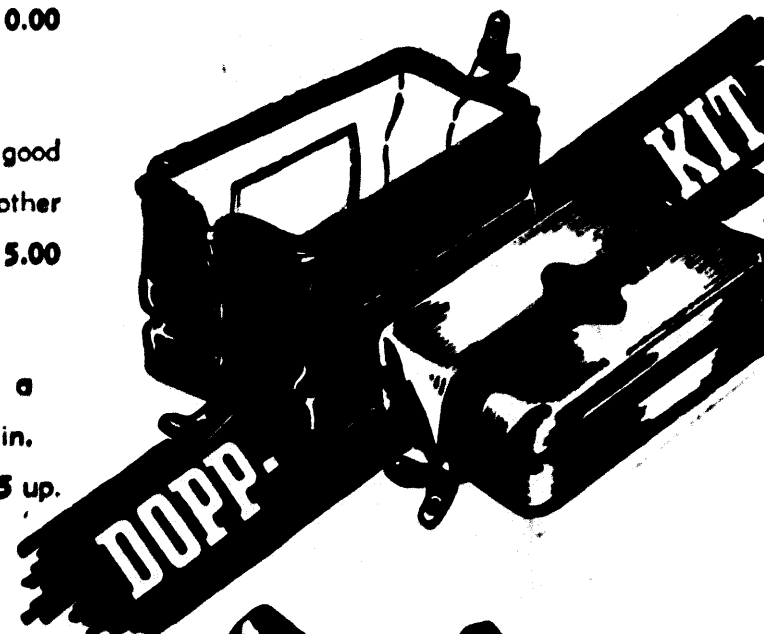
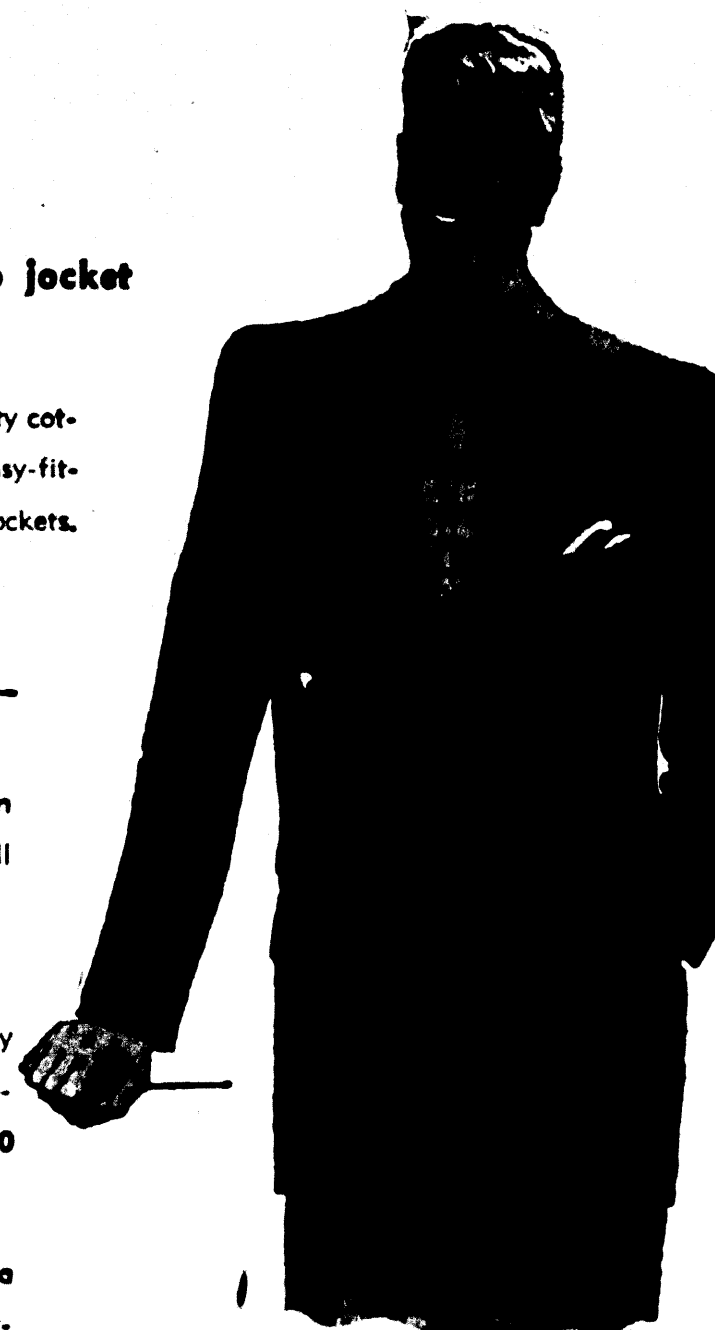
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FRUIT CAKE RECIPES

Recipes of fruit cakes have been sent to each club president for each member of her club. See her and get your copy. We were unable to get out as many as we had planned because of so much work in the office, but we will get a booklet out next year for you including more person's recipes on fruit cakes, cookies and candies. The Japanese fruit cake is wonderful (recipe was given in column two weeks ago). I made it for Thanksgiving and it was the favorite of all who called during the holiday. Thanks again, Thelma, for the recipe.

Toys For Age Levels

While you are buying toys for Christmas you can buy wisely. Miss Esther Cooley, consumer education specialist at L. S. U. Agricultural Extension Service, has prepared a bulletin on wise buying of toys. Miss Cooley says for a child under one year of age children like bright colored toys that he can look at, listen to, feel, bite, shape, and drop. Such a toy might be light and durable, cuddly, soft, and washable. Children from one to two years can handle toys that pull, push, fit together, pound, knock down, pile, throw and cuddle. Children three years like to imitate grown-ups. They also need toys for outdoors play. Many new toys copy lines of real machinery and are very durable.

Boys of six to eight like active games and constructive toys while girls of this age like toys that help develop skills and crafts. There are many toys you can make yourself that will be popular with the youngsters.

Remember the toys you give the child may help in his growth and development, it is not wasted money, if wisely chosen, and remember each age has different needs, try to meet these.

House Furnishing Leader Training Meeting

December 15th at 9:30 a.m. the house furnishings leaders (2 from each club) please meet in the agricultural auditorium to prepare for the demonstration you are to give to your club on making curtains. Bring with you some material (if possible) select a window in your home which needs a new curtain and bring the material for it. Get enough material as skimpy curtains are not pretty. Also, bring scissors, thread, thimble, and pins and a needle. Be on time as agent has a home demonstration club meeting in the afternoon.

Horticultural Hints

The horticultural hints for December prepared by the specialist of L. S. U. extension service give us plenty to do. It says it's time to transplant shallots and onions. Be sure a complete fertilizer has been worked into soil 7 to 10 days before transplanting. Control thrips on these plants with 5 per cent DDT dust or spray. Build your hot bed and get ready to plant tomatoes, eggplants, and peppers January 20-February 1. Get ground ready for transplanting cabbage by applying 600-800 pounds per acre of 4-12-4 to soil ten days before transplanting. Also get soil ready and plant beets, mustard, carrots, turnips, lettuce and radishes. Get mulch for strawberries and early in January scrape ground to free them of weeds and side dress with nitrate of soda using about a cup per 100 lineal feet of row. Then mulch heavy with pine straw.

Pansies should be put in permanent beds in December. Buy your roses and have them delivered in January for planting. Don't forget to plant a few sweet peas.

December, January and February are best months for transplanting trees and shrubs. Do a good job when you transplant by being careful to protect roots from time plant is dug until it is transplanted. Be sure to dig the hole longer and deeper than the spread of roots. Partially fill hole with good soil, then plant shrub no deeper than it grew before, allow for a little sinking when soil firms underneath plant. This is important — don't put plant too deep in ground. Then firm soil and force air from around roots by watering thoroughly. Do not put fertilizer of any kind in the hole under the roots.

Remember annuals are the



MRS. JOHN A. McCLAIN JR. was before her wedding, November 21, Miss June Hill, daughter of Mrs. J. L. Hill and the late Mr. Hill of Winnsboro, Texas. Mr. McClain is the son of Mrs. Belle McClain and the late Mr. McClain.



MISS ARLENE HOLLOWAY is betrothed to Roger A. Perot son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Perot of Fairbanks. She is the daughter of Mrs. T. J. Holloway of Delhi. The wedding will be an event of December 18.

"Frosting on the Cake" so plant morning. Ouachita Parish has a number of boys in this hospital and they would enjoy gifts from their home parish. Remember home-made cookies, jellies, jams, preserves, etc. are some of the sweets they enjoy. Let's remember then they fought for our freedom. See you next Sunday.

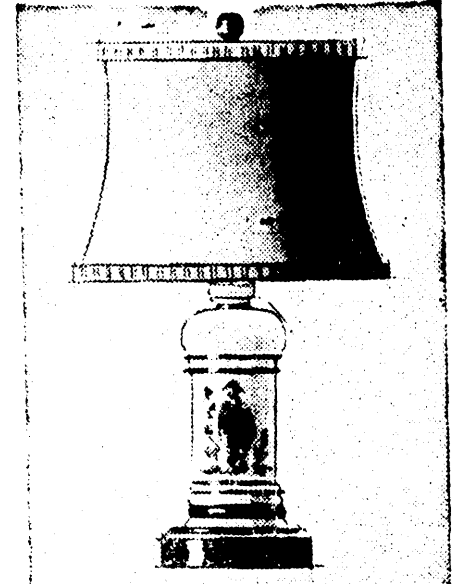
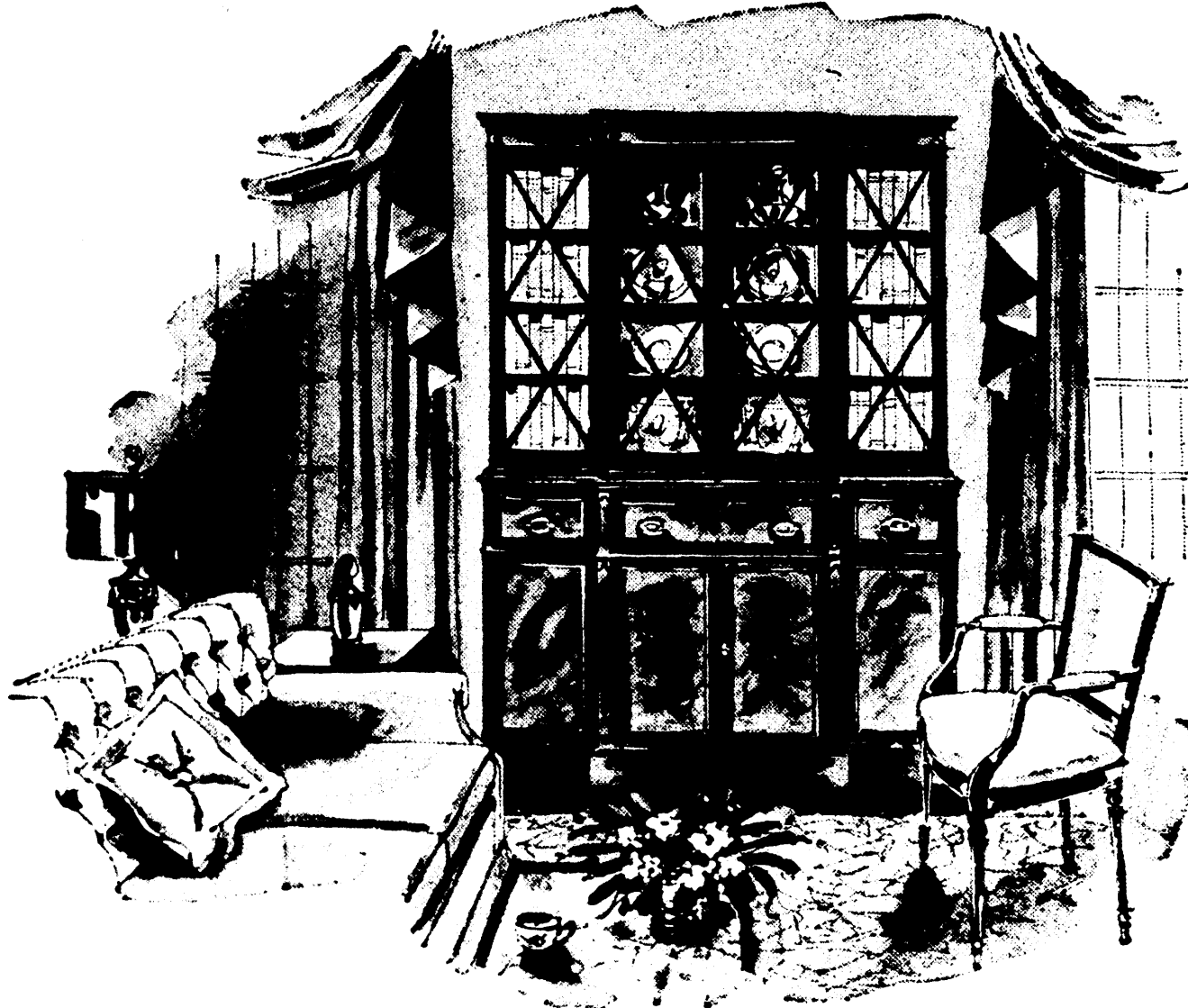
WAX DOORKNOBS

It is a good idea to wax your brass doorknobs during the winter to preserve their sparkle. Use jewelry to play up your most attractive features. If you have lovely arms, collect bracelets. Dangling earrings might be your jewelry specialty if you wish to call attention to beautiful eyes or an interesting jawline.

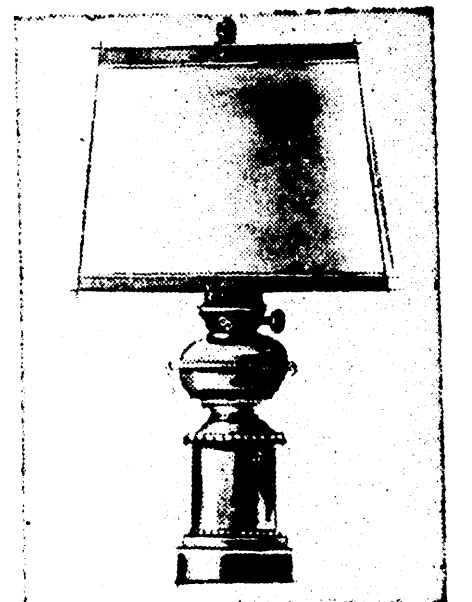
Veterans Christmas Party The Monroe party for veterans at Alexandria Veterans Hospital will be December 13th. Mrs. W. J. Veasy urges all home demonstration club members to bring to her office, 200 South Grand Street, any gifts they can contribute. Monday

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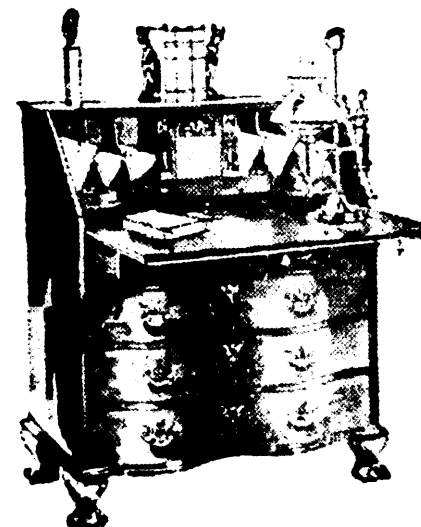
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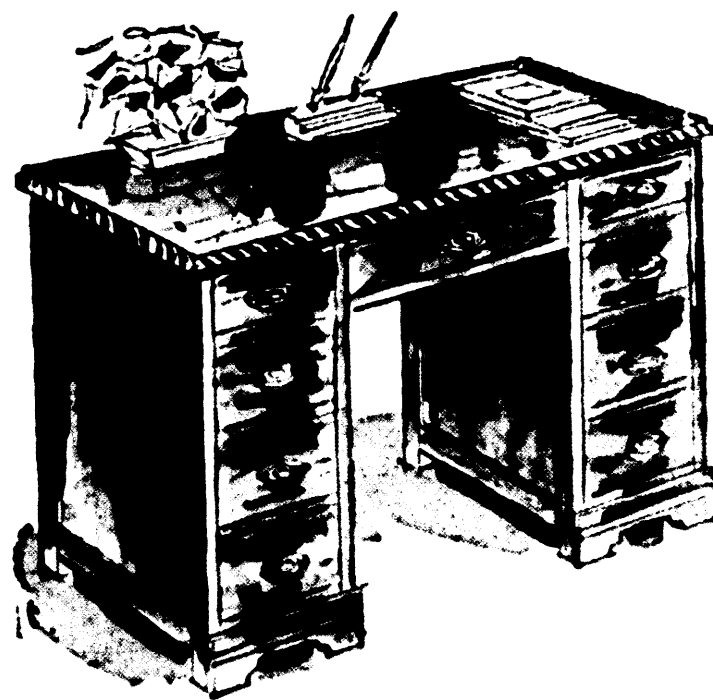
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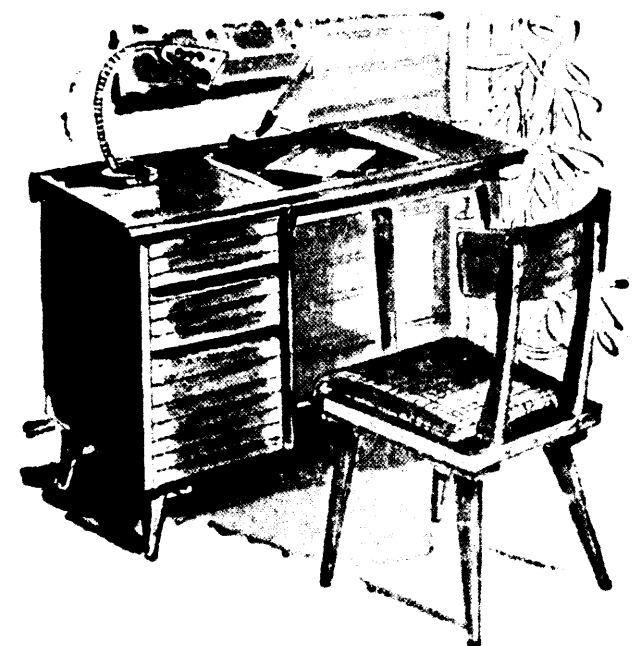


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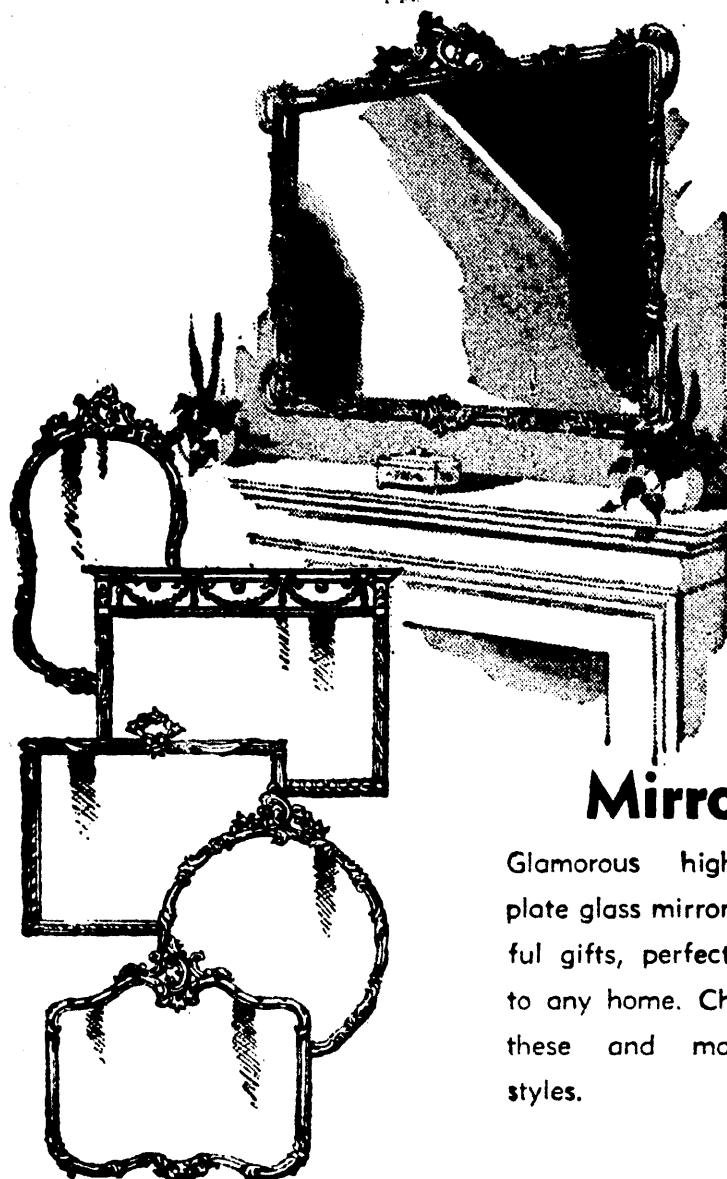
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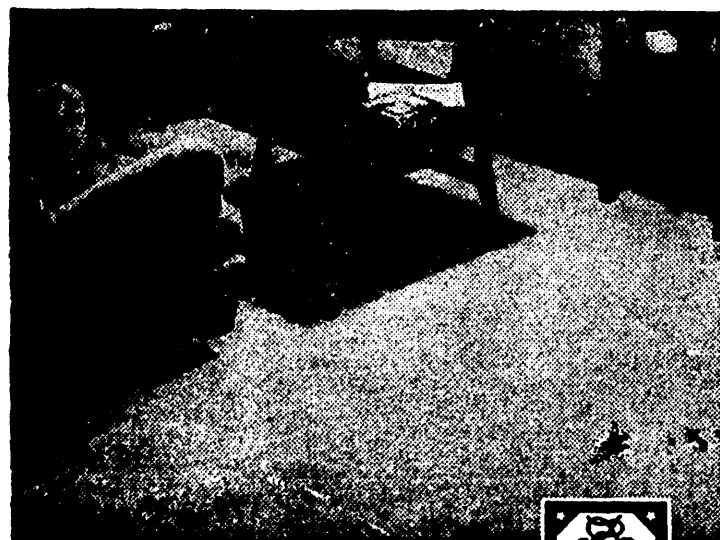
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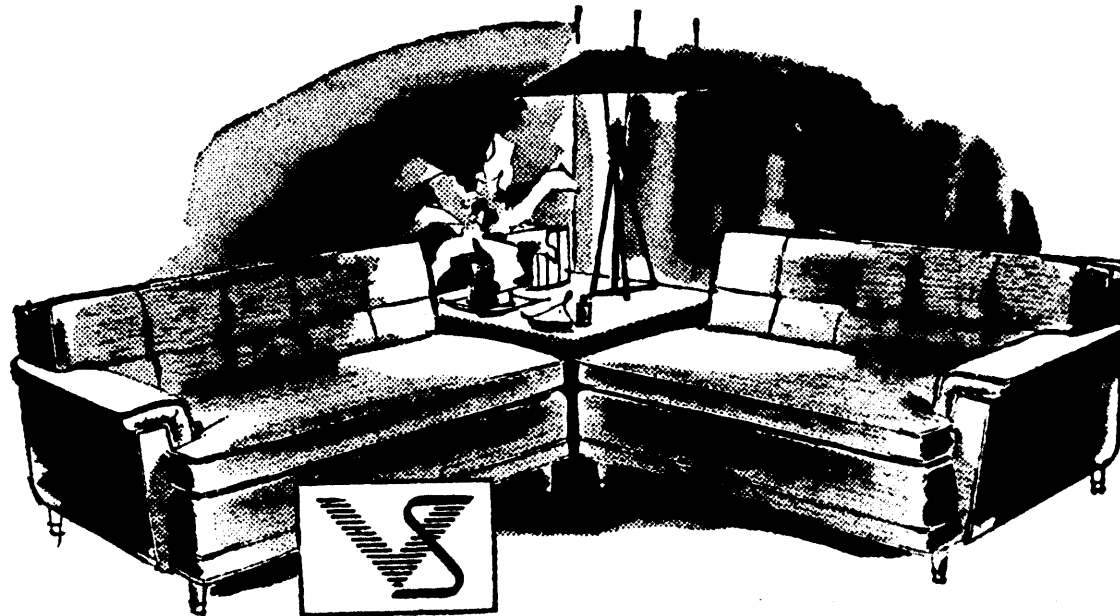
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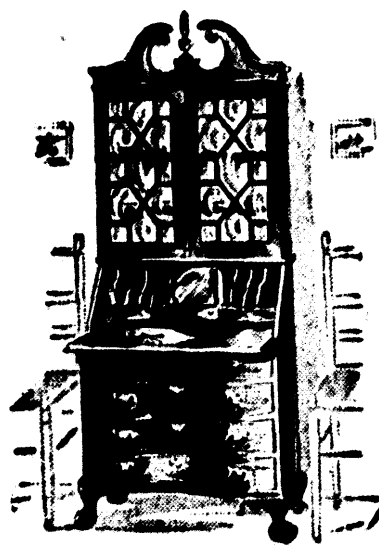
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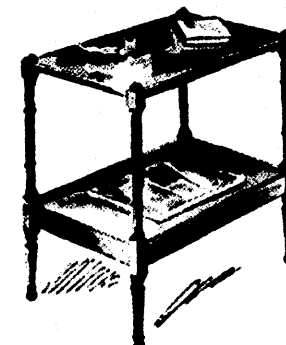
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YWCA Activities

Y-yes' Club
Mrs. Emory Bishop and Mrs. Frank Eason were hostesses for the Y-YES' Club which met at the YWCA on Wednesday morning. Mrs. Joe Gimler opened the meeting with a devotional. Mrs. B. E. McWilliams, president of the group presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Frank Eason, chairman of the social committee, announced that the Y-yes' annual Christmas husband and wives party would be held at the Barn on December 11th. The meeting on the 16th of December will be a "coffee hour" for Y-yes' members and friends. Mrs. Paul Johnson, program chairman introduced Mrs. Monroe Trimble, the guest speaker for the morning. Mrs. Trimble gave a very enjoyable, colorful, and practical demonstration on "Christmas Gift Wrapping." Her illustrations and instructions were for the many different types of bows; use of glitter on plain paper to make it more attractive and glamorous; various simple things to use to make packages very unique and original. Two

guests: Mrs. E. G. Morrison and Mrs. George Elias were welcomed, and the following members were present: Mrs. John Dorsey, Mrs. K. T. Dollard, Mrs. Fred Moses, Mrs. William Weger, Mrs. William Hochstetler, Mrs. C. C. White, Mrs. E. L. Trevelsach, Mrs. Beulah Eason, Mrs. Emory Bishop, Mrs. Frank Eason and Mary Anne, Mrs. Joe Gimler, Mrs. A. T. Klemme, Mrs. H. Whitehead, Mrs. T. L. Van Fossen, Mrs. J. R. Hood, Mrs. H. S. Trammell, Mrs. B. E. McWilliams, Mrs. Hoyle Kight, Mrs. W. H. Cushman, and Mrs. K. M. McGoldrick.

Y-Teens
Ann Hebert opened the meeting of the Jolly Y Janes' Club with a devotional. The Y-Teen Rally, "Go to Church," and the recognition ceremony were discussed. The club is to sponsor a New Year's Eve party for all high school Y-Teens. Betty Case is social chairman, and she will be assisted by Lora Willis, Dorothy Barr and Nettie Bacle. The meeting was closed with the Y-Teen motto. The Y-Teens of the West Monroe High School are being organized into clubs. Helen Richmond has been elected as the president of the Sophomore Club. The Y-Teens in the West Monroe High School are participating in the contest being held at the school to elect "Miss Merry Christmas" and "Mr. Happy New Year." Their candidates are: Barbara Rawls and Randolph Cagle.

The Really Y's Club of Y-Teens met on Thursday afternoon with Pat Worley, president, presiding. Jeanette McDonald gave the devotional: a selection from "The Upper Room." The group voted to cooperate with the Red Cross by providing a Christmas package to be sent to a veteran at the hospital in Alexandria. A committee, Nancy Jo Tillman, Nelda Dozier, and Evelyn Duke were appointed to purchase this gift. The meeting was closed with the Y-Teen motto. The Y-ettes' Club met on Friday afternoon with Lynda Eby, president, presiding. Gail Peters gave the devotional. Mary Martha Heard and Mary Coon are in charge of the party which this club will have on December 18th at the YWCA.

B & P Girls' Club
Lorraine Ragland and Janet Andrews assisted Mrs. Hundley as hostesses for the supper meeting of the B & P Girls' Club on Thursday night. Bessie Kocotas gave the devotional. Eleona Brinsmade was a guest of the club to discuss with the members the plans for their annual Christmas party for less-privileged children. The party will be held at the Y on Saturday, December 19th at 2:00 p. m. The following members were present: Ella Pearl Sutton, Mary Riser, Pat Patrick, Phoebe Miller, Mattie Lorraine Coates, Lorraine Ragland, Jennie Westbrook, Bobbye Beach,

Christine Romano, Roberta Henry, Daisy McLain, Maude Brownlee, Mattie Sue Detto, Allie Marie Coats, Barbara Ray, Marion Simmons, Bessie Kocotas, Viola Miller, Carolyn Leggett, Mrs. Hundley, Miss Sharp, and the guest Miss Brinsmade.

YWCA Board of Directors
Reverend H. L. Johns, pastor of the First Methodist Church, opened the meeting of the board with a devotional. Reverend Johns used as the basis of his remarks the first chapter of John. "The coming of Christ makes a difference in our lives. In Him was life and the light of men. Jesus' birth bears witness of this great gift of love that God has for us. We should remember this gift during this special Christmas season." Mrs. J. E. Walsworth was appointed as the YWCA representative on the Ouachita health council; and Mrs. Milling Bernstein will be the representative for the civilian defense program. It was announced that the annual Christmas YWCA ceremony, The Hanging of the Greens will be held on Monday, December 14th, at the Y at 7:00 p. m. Mrs. B. E. McWilliams, president of the Y-yes' Club presented the invitation to the board to attend the Y-yes' Christmas "coffee hour" on Wednesday, December 6th. Mrs. A. D. Read, Mrs. J. B. Thornhill, and Miss Juanita Porter were appointed as the building and grounds committee. Mrs. E. P. Cudd will again be chairman for the annual meeting and will be assisted by Mrs. E. B. Ellison, Mrs. Elliott Thompson, Mrs. Metris Bell, Mrs. Arthur Tidwell, Mrs. Frank Smith, and the president of the various club groups of the Y. Mrs. A. D. Tisdale will serve as the YWCA centennial representative. The membership report showed that there have been 14 new members to join the YWCA: Mrs. Bailey Grant, Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson, Mrs. A. M. Wedemeyer, Mrs. Helen Bliss, Mrs. W. E. Chaney, Mrs. R. A. Carson, Mrs. J. R. Hood, Mrs. Joe Gorman, Mrs. W. H. Cushman, Mrs. D. W. Gerhard and her daughter, Gwen, Mrs. Barney Tanguis, Mrs. A. P. Kimmig, Mrs. Thomas Youngblood, and 8 members and 1 associate member have renewed their memberships: Mrs. Carl Davis, Mrs. J. E. Dupuy, Mrs. Jack Howard, Mrs. K. M. McGoldrick, Mrs. Charles O'Brien, Mrs. Joe Gimler, Mrs. H. S. Trammell, Mrs. A. D. Read, and Mr. A. D. Read, since November 1st, 1955. Miss Sharp gave a report on the Y-Teen activities and the B & P Club and its programs and projects.

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You have heard it said that in order to gain respect, you must first have respect for yourself. Approach your belongings with the same attitude. Treat them with respect and so will others. For example, your winter coat may be an inexpensive cloth coat that you bought a couple of years ago. But treat it as you would a luxurious fur. Have it pressed occasionally so that the lining is never mussed. When you remove it, fold it carefully, turning the lining out. Lay the coat gently on a chair if you are in public. Your hats may be inexpensive, too. But no one need know it if you wear them with an air. Handbags that are polished now and then, and that are never bulging, can be carried proudly. And cotton gloves will assume the doekin manner when one takes them off slowly and carefully. Try this once and you'll be complimented on your smart hat, bag or gloves. And when you do, respond with a simple "thank you." Don't spoil the effect by revealing the age or price of the garment.

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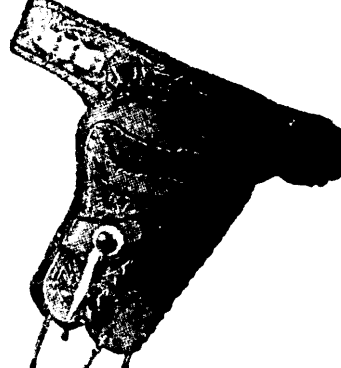
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Social Calendar

Sunday

The Sigma Alpha Chi Fraternity will attend the Memorial Methodist Church for the morning service. That afternoon they will entertain at an Open House, 3900 Spurgeon Drive honoring the Faculty and Student Body of orthodoxy and student and the parents of the members.

The regular meeting of the Beta Delta Sorority will be held in the home of Miss Betty Britt, 413 Park Ave. at 2 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

The regular meeting of Delta Sigma will be held in the home of Miss Jan Demmay, 1700 North Second street at 2 p. m.

Annual Y-Teen Recognition Ceremony at the First Methodist Church, Monroe, at 3:00 p. m. "Open house" for all Y-Teens and their parents at the YWCA following the ceremonial. All interested friends are invited.

The Northeast League of Artists will have a meeting at the Art Shop at 2 p. m.

Monday
Room mothers of Sherrouse P. T. A. will meet at 2 p. m. and at 2:30 p. m.

Circle 7 of the Women of the First Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Bennie Hughes, 2003 N. 3rd St. at 7:30 p. m.

B. W. C. Temple Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Dan Watson, 1008 S. 1st at 7:30 p. m.

Regular meeting of Louise L. McGuire Chapter 4, O. E. S. at Masonic Temple at 8 p. m. Election of officers, presentation of 25 year certificates, and birthday night for Fourth quarter.

Monroe Rebekah Lodge 66 will have their regular meeting at Woodman Hall at 7:30 p. m. Election.

The Music Teachers Association of Monroe and West Monroe will

hold a dinner meeting at the Redwood Lounge at 7:30 p. m.

The Literary Guild will meet with Mrs. H. K. Touchstone at 1 p. m.

Lambda Sigma Chi will meet with Miss Dorothy Brennan, 107 Auburn at 3:20 p. m.

Tuesday
A business and program meeting of the W. S. C. S. of St. Paul's Methodist Church will be held in the home of Mrs. T. B. Godfrey, 2004 Pargoud boulevard, at 9:30 a. m.

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will meet as follows:

Group I, Mrs. Alfred Ware, 711 Rochelle Avenue, 9:30 a. m.

Group II, Mrs. W. N. Pope, 2405 Pope Street, 2:30 p. m.

Group IV, Mrs. P. J. Newman, 505 Glenmar, 2:30 p. m.

Friendship Temple No. 3 will meet at 7:30 at Castle Hall for the election of officers.

The Review Club will meet with Mrs. Jamar Adcock 2102 Marie Place at 2 p. m. Veterans Gift Day.

Tuesday
The Wesleyan Service Guild of Monroe First Methodist Church will meet as follows: Circle One, Miss Mamie Pilgreen, 303 Auburn; Circle Two, Miss D. L. O. Puckett, 808 North 4th; Circle Three, Mrs. Sara Kennon and Mrs. Ethel Pettet, 900 North 3rd.

The regular business meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held at 6:00 p. m. at the Frances Hotel in the Mirror Room.

St. Anne's Circle will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Russell Kynoch 1815 Pargoud Blvd.

The Circles of the Women of Covenant Presbyterian Church will meet as follows: No. 1, Mrs. Fred Mitchell, 101 Stubbs Avenue, 9:30 a. m.; No. 2, Mrs. Sid Walker, 2304 Hawthorne, 2:30 p. m.; No. 3, Mrs. Joe Durrett, Sr., 515 Hilton, 2:30 p. m.; No. 4, Mrs. Milton King, 1608 Auburn Avenue, 2:30 p. m.

The circles of the Women of the

First Presbyterian Church will meet: No. 1 Mrs. Richard W. E. Guelow, 1809 Auburn Ave., 9:30 a. m.; No. 2 Mrs. B. W. Wright, 417 Park Ave., 9:30 a. m.; No. 3 Mrs. J. S. Gangstad, 1701 N. 3rd St., 3 p. m.; No. 4 Mrs. Roy J. Skillman, 304 K St., 3 p. m.; No. 5 Mrs. W. C. Wilson, 608 S. 3rd St., 2:30 p. m.; No. 6 Mrs. T. L. Landry, 203 Auburn Ave., 3 p. m.; No. 8 Mrs. Dan Moore, Jr., 2208 Pargoud Blvd., 7:30 p. m.

The W. M. S. Circles of the First Baptist Church, Monroe, will meet as follows:

Circle No. 1 — Mrs. W. H. Steen, 409 Oak.

Circle No. 2 — Mrs. C. B. Flynn, 216 Ouachita.

Circle No. 3 — Mrs. E. C. Cobb, 1107 North 6th.

Circle No. 4 — Mrs. R. W. Graves, 1206 South 1st.

Circle No. 5 — Mrs. W. C. Lanier, 229 Pargoud Drive.

Circle No. 6 — Mrs. C. D. Smith, 2909 South Grand.

Circle No. 8 — Mrs. M. H. Lindsay, 1102 North 7th.

Circle No. 9 — Mrs. A. D. Foreman, 237 Grayling Lane.

The Republican Women's Club will entertain at a tea between 4 and 6 p. m. at 1400 Riverside. All workers in the Democrats for Eisenhower organization are cordially invited.

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Wednesday
The Cosmopolitan Club will meet in the home of Mrs. B. E. McWilliams, 2212 Island Drive at 1 p. m.

Thursday
The A. A. U. W. will meet in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Johns, 702 Jackson Street, at 7:30 p. m.

The W. M. Mitchell School P. T. A. Party will be held in the school cafeteria at 2:30 p. m.

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The coming of eyeglass frames into the realm of fashion has done wonders for the morale of many young women. They took to the harlequin frames, the gold-dusted ones and the black ones, too, with sheer delight.

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Actually, the new styles can add greatly to the attractiveness of the older woman. The right shape and color will soften her expression, erasing years.

In fact, the selection of becoming frames is now among the major grooming steps of all women who wear glasses, but particularly of the older women.

To help yourself make the right decision, look for pictures of models wearing glasses. Study the shapes of their faces and of the

frames. This should help you to visualize what would look best on you.

Of course, you should be allowed plenty of time to try on the various styles when you make your purchase. But it will help to have a good idea of what is becoming. In deciding color, consider the colors that predominate in your wardrobe as well as the color of your hair and your skin tones.

And, by the way, if you wear eyeglasses all the time, do not wear veils or dangling earrings. Hats that come forward on the head should also be avoided. When worn with glasses, they create a cluttered appearance.

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Washing sweaters is a chore many women abhor. They fear that the water may be too warm, that they may pull the garment too much or that they will not block the sweater properly. And dry cleaning is an expensive alternative.

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Don't wait until the time when you can no longer get away with them to attempt to discard childish mannerisms. By then, they will be rooted in your personality. Furthermore, they make you less attractive than you could be now.

Loud laughing, jostling of each other and other attention-getting antics contrast sharply with your efforts to develop an adult flair for clothes and cosmetics. It is a case of one thing laughing at the other.

You will notice that it is the quiet, assured, graceful movements of women that characterize them as charming. The really lovely ladies in public, whether in the theater or politics, do not make crash landings. But, as you well know, those lovely, quiet ladies get plenty of attention—the flattering kind.

The bell that signals the end of the day's classes is too often taken as a signal to release pent-up energy. One frequently sees students emerge shouting, giggling, pushing.

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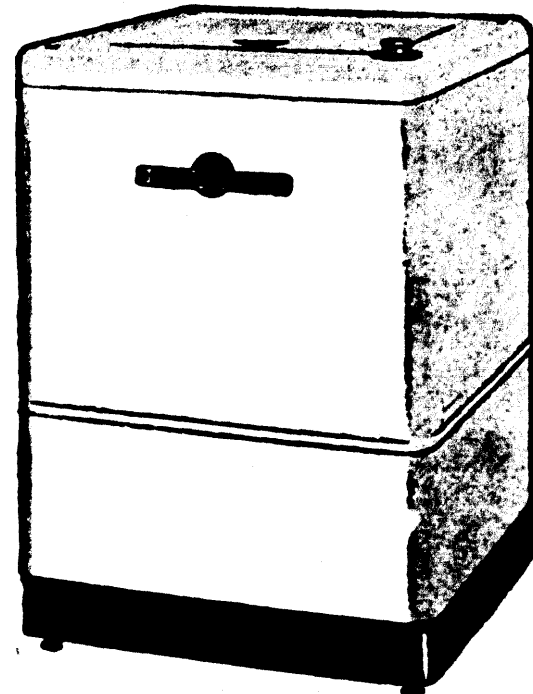
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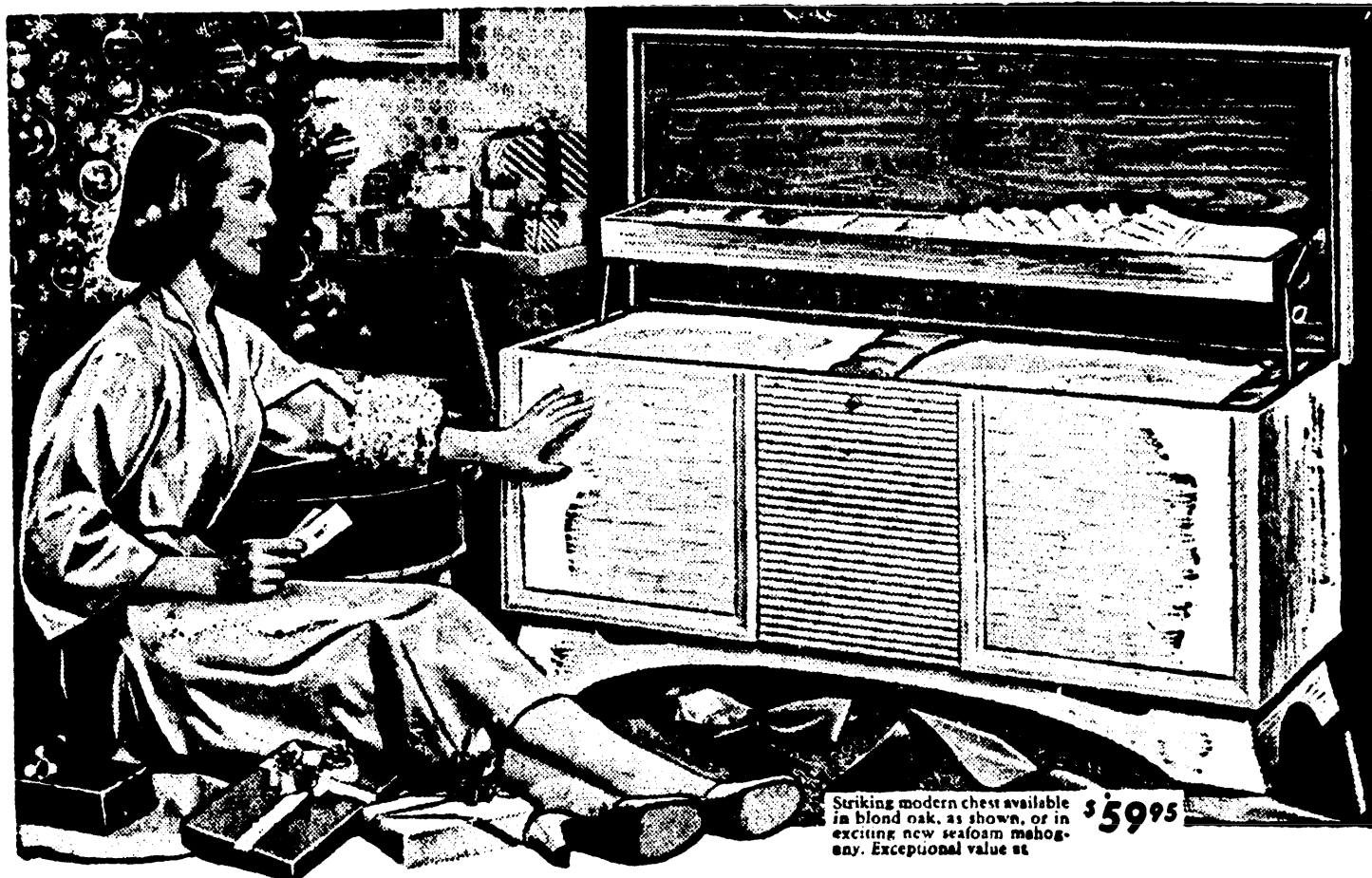
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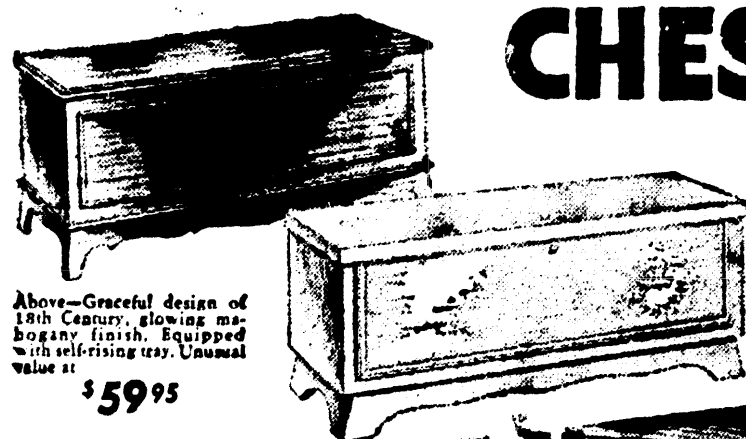
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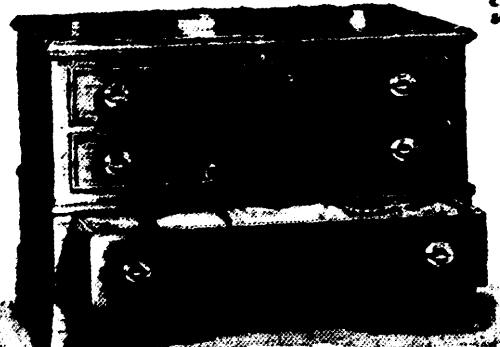


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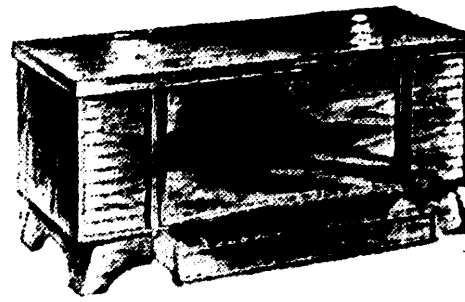
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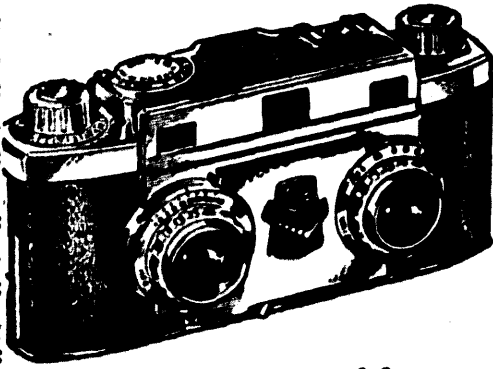


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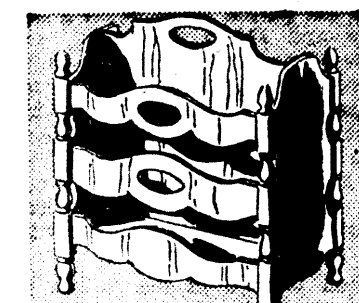
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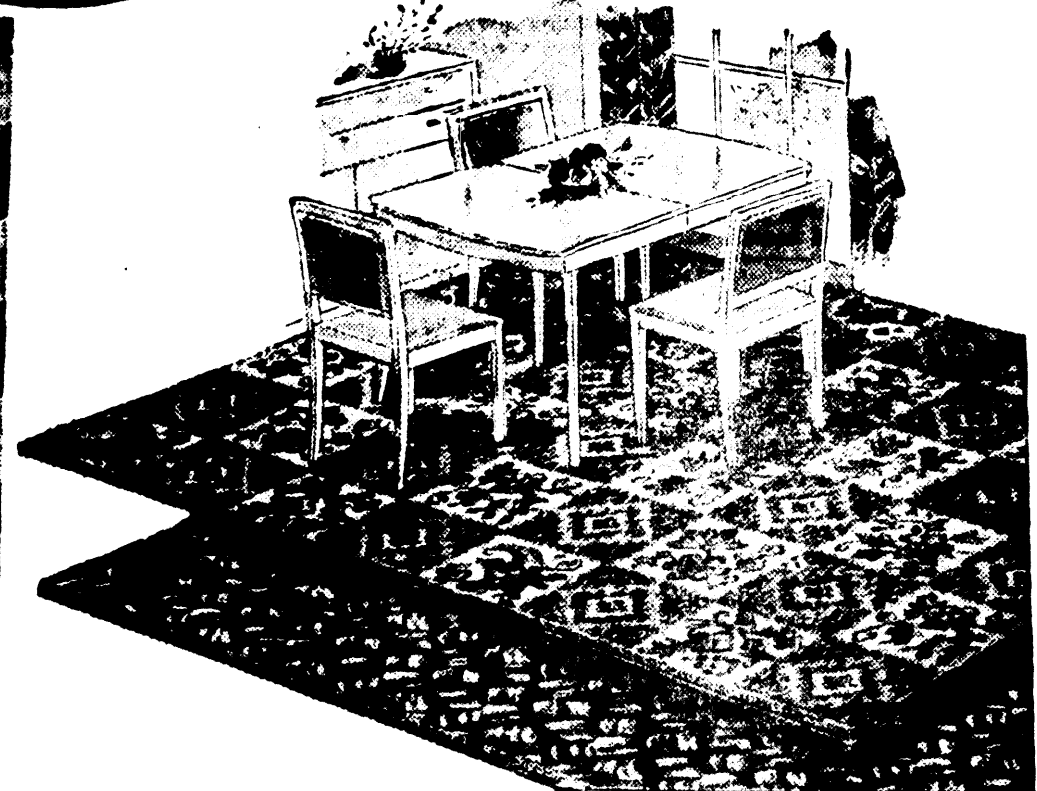
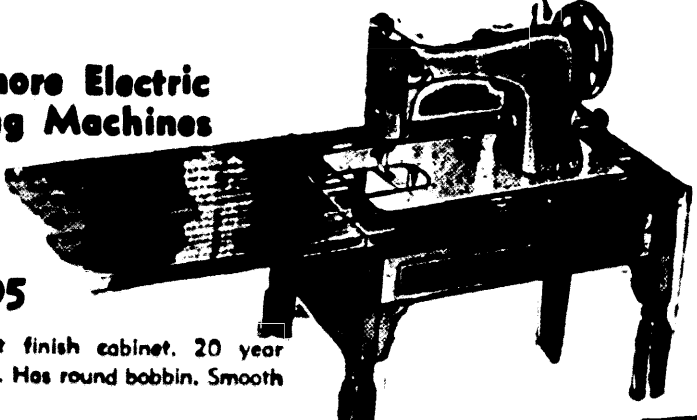
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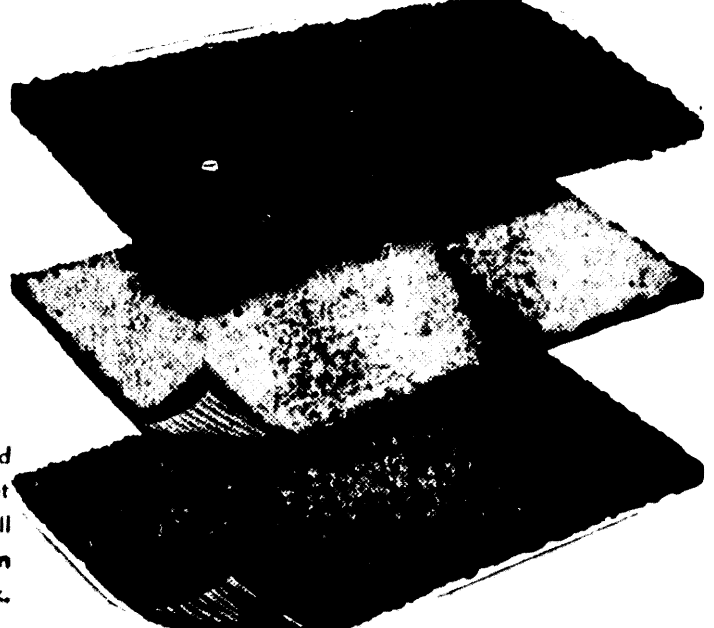
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Garden News

Southern Gardener

By WILLIAM LANIER HUNT

Different Kinds Of Holly

People have become so interested in holly these days that there is now an American Holly Society which like the other plant societies, holds meetings at which the holly lovers gather and exchange information on how to grow their favorite plant, on new varieties and on diseases which affect these trees. Not all hollies are trees, however. Some are medium sized shrubs and some, fairly small shrubs. Taken all together, there are more different kinds of holly than you might suppose. Their different shapes and sizes and rates of growth make them excellent broadleaf evergreens for landscaping the home grounds. They can be used as hedges, specimens, foundation planting material and as screens to hide objects which need to be covered up from view. Since hollies grow fairly slowly, there is a minimum of trimming or pruning to do on them. With a little shaping, they will form dense evergreen shrubs through which you cannot see at all.

Everybody likes to have a fine specimen American holly tree on the lawn somewhere. The most common spots for these handsome trees are out at the corners of lots or even right in the middle of one side of the lawn. The middle of the lawn is usually a bad place for a big fat evergreen tree like this, but people bring home a tiny holly and set it out there, and sooner than they thought it could grow into a fine specimen too big to move with anything but big machinery. Such trees would have been in a better location if they had been planted far enough to one side so that they would not hide the street completely from the window in the living room.

When planted in the middle of the front lawn, they usually spoil the looks of the house, too. It would be better to plant an American holly tree somewhere along the boundary of your property. One excellent spot is the position along your side line where the tree will just blot out the next house from sight when you look out your side windows. Be sure that you plant your tree far enough away from the property line to allow for its spread. In this position at the side of the house, a specimen holly serves another purpose. It forms part of a screen for the side and back yards if one is needed.

Where side yards are small and there is really not enough room for a tree with as much spread as a grown American holly, one of the smaller hollies can be planted. The hybrid hollies called Hume No. 1 and Hume No. 2 and East Platka do not need so much room. Beautiful specimens of these trees with an enormous crop of berries each

winter can be grown where there is a width of as much as ten to fifteen feet. American hollies—in fact, all hollies can be pruned back into thick fairly narrow evergreen specimens by shortening the branches every year at Christmas time. In fact, every yard should be able to supply the decorations for the house and leave some to spare. Even old specimen trees can be thickened up by pruning back the ends of the limbs and feeding the trees once a year. Skinny old trees are very apt to be starving, and you would be surprised to see how they would grow if you would feed them by the hole punching and fertilizing method.

As we have said in the column several times, one of the prettiest types of small leaved bush size broadleaf evergreens is the Japanese holly with a very close resemblance to boxwood. The different kinds of this evergreen will provide you with handsome low or tall, fat or thin shrubs for every imaginable use. Japanese holly will stand a lot of sun. It will also tolerate quite a bit of shade. If you find that your plants are suffering in the spot where you are growing them, move them to a place where there is a little shade.

For the worst kind of hot spot such as up against buildings, the Chinese holly and its form called Burford holly (the one with leaves with only one prickle) is a wonderful evergreen. The leaves of these plants are covered with a slick wax coating which makes them able to stay out in the sun in the worst heat and take it. These two hollies are becoming so very popular that people are planting them whether they have room for them or not. One sees them being crammed into small spaces and then pruned back unmercifully to make them stay there when they try to grow normally. Chinese and Burford hollies normally grow to be very large shrubs or small trees. They can be pruned back into dense specimens or hedges, but they can hardly be kept down to two feet in height and two feet across. Sooner or later, they will get sick and die. It is better to get a smaller shrub for such a place.

Holly hedges of any kind are very handsome and not as slow to grow into a good screen as you might think. It is well worthwhile to get small plants to suit your pocket book and set them out as a hedge. When they begin to crowd each other, you can remove every other plant in the line and set them in the vegetable garden or somewhere to grow into nice specimens. There just never seem to be enough fine hollies to go around, and your gardening friends will be more than pleased to receive a fine holly as a present. Look into the catalogues, and you will see many named varieties of American holly now coming into the nurseries in response to the current enthusiasm. Hollie are at last coming into their own.

Christmas Rose Will Beautify Drab Days

Christmas is only four weeks away and shopping by the gardener should be done as early as possible. The weather is ideal for planting and I suggest that now is the best time to move in a live Colorado or blue spruce to be used as a permanent Christmas tree in the front yard.

As a worth-while gift either for your own garden or for that of a friend, I recommend the Christmas rose, *Helleborus Niger*.

The Christmas rose is a winter flower that will delight when everything is drab outside. While it is hardy everywhere, it is rather disappointing if left to combat what comes along in the way of weather.

To insure blooms it is best to afford the plant protection against snow by placing a pane of glass on some support over, but clear of each plant. Potted plants can be made to bloom for several weeks if kept in a sunny room where the temperature is too cold for reading during winter evenings.

The Christmas rose helps to bridge the gap between the last autumn chrysanthemums and the flowering bulbs of early spring. The blossoms of the Christmas rose are white anemone-like single flowers, sometimes bearing a purple cast in the sepals and the leaves are more or less flat.

Christmas roses are dormant in summer and begin root action in early autumn, and, according to the advice of the growers, now is the time to move them. However, if one is careful—and one should always handle all plants with the utmost consideration—they may be moved at any time.

It is of the greatest importance that the rose are not exposed when transplanting as *Helleborus* are very sensitive to change of location as well as rather slow to make new roots. However, when once established and left undisturbed, the plants will thrive many years.

Water well in dry weather and twice a year, just before the buds show. As the foliage starts its growth in April, each plant should be given three or four successive

waterings of manure water or a weak solution of 4-12-4 commercial fertilizer.

A mulch of oak leaves placed on the soil about the plant and under the leaves is recommended to prevent splashing of mud on the foliage and flowers.

One nearby grower raises his stock in cold frames which afford protection against sudden changes in temperature and thus permit him to provide you with plants regardless of weather conditions.

QUIZZING THE GARDENER

Q—When and how far may I cut back a tall privet hedge so that it will become bushy at the base?

A—Severe cutting back may be done in late winter or early spring. Cut it down to within six inches of the ground. Fertilize well. When new growth is a foot high, shear it back half way and repeat this operation three or four times so that the plant will branch as close to the ground as possible.

Q—What is the best way of protecting fruit tree bark from damage by rabbits and field mice?

A—Place wire netting, heavy weather-proof paper, aluminum foil or similar material about the trunks. It should extend from the ground up to a height of three or more feet and be securely fastened to prevent the rodents from getting under it or pulling it away.

Q—What fertilizer should be used when painting an arborvitae hedge?

A—Mix a slow-acting fertilizer, such as cottonseed meal and old manure, with the soil now before planting, and apply a quick acting fertilizer, such as 10-6-4 in early spring.

Note on Questions

Henry Free is unable to answer directly individual questions from readers. However, with each column he will answer the most interesting and most frequently asked questions.

The Home Shift

With

Mildred Swift

In a recent editorial in this paper, the writer thanked the department of streets and parks for trees planted in the city.

Those trees will help beautify and take the place of the older ones as they die out, as all trees do in time. Then — if each person will plant one or more trees in his own yard, they too will add to the beauty of our Twin Cities.

The editorial asked all people to cooperate in keeping the streets clean. The state garden club council is working on just that as a project for this year. Their slogan is "Are You A Litter Bug?" So— are you?

As the editorial said, "We could save our cities many hours of labor if we'd refrain from throwing paper in the streets." That could be our New Year's Resolution.

Around The Garden
The tree on North Third that was so beautiful is a maple instead of a sweet gum. Mrs. Lawhead said her mother planted it years ago. That tree has given pleasure to hundreds, as the ones we plant will do.

A little new gardener said to me the other day in reference to transplanting, "I'm told not to put fertilizer in the soil with my plant, but that I can use cotton seed meal. That's confusing to me." That would be confusing to a new gardener. Cotton seed meal is derived from cotton seed, it is slow in its effect, and can be worked in the soil when transplanting. Mrs. Carey Holmes sold me on the fine results of cotton seed meal, five years ago when we transplanted shrubs around the West Monroe library. Cotton seed meal is not made of highly concentrated chemicals as the commercial fertilizer is. Commercial fertilizer is made up for quick action, is strong and therefore burns plants easily when it comes in contact with the roots of freshly transplanted shrubs.

The heavy frosts visited us late this year and spared our chrysanthemums. Haven't they been beautiful? Mrs. Edney was wearing the most beautiful white one yesterday at church. She said it was "Quill" and came from her garden. Mrs. Edney is a good gardener. We'll watch for her iris next spring.

The snow on the mountain sunnambu bloom is almost as perfect as the fine varieties of white camellias. The plant grows faster than its sister camellia, too.

The horticulture division of the Monroe Garden Club flower show will be open to the public next year. Mavis Powell says the show will be staged in March at the Country Club. Here is a list of plants that bloom in March that you'll want to plant so you can enter: All the bulbs in the jonquil and narcissus group, calendula, Chinese forget-me-not, candytuft, cornflower, marguerite daisy, grape hyacinth, larkspur, pansy, petunia, blue salvia, verbena, sweet pea, stock, tulip, scabiosa, California poppy, pinks, Dutch hyacinth, snap dragon and seilla.

Seeds of some of these should be planted — others are best started from plants or bulbs.

Past Events
November was a month of bazaars and flower shows. After visiting most of both I can truly say I know Ouachita Parish has the most talented women in the United States.

Wish I could describe all the lovely arrangements at the flower shows, but I'd run out of adjectives. The floral group's show held at Mrs. Archie Dickerson's lovely new home featured arrangements for different rooms in the house. Mildred Luckey's bed room masterpiece was made of white chrysanthemums and gilded pine cones. You know you can take a pine cone, cut it in three parts and

each is a flower. Ask Mildred Luckey to show you this trick.

The Home Garden Club put on their show at the Missouri Pacific Hall. An outstanding blue ribbon winner was a tri-color of orange to rust colored chrysanthemums in a container of the same shade. Mrs. J. A. Funston made this one.

The Welcome Garden Club held its show in the Mitchell School cafeteria. The dried arrangements here were so cleverly selected. You just wouldn't believe the lowly materials they found. Mrs. Hanson Coon used dried canna leaves, nuts, and pine cones cut into flowers. Mrs. Julius Fink made an outstanding fruit arrangement in a basket using sea oats. Dock could be used instead of the oats.

Food Plentiful

Potatoes, winter pears, pecans, and honey are on the best buy list for December. Other plentiful are beef, turkeys, frozen fish, raisins, onions, grapes, grapefruit, small naval oranges, dairy products, food fats and oils, peanuts and peanut butter.

Dates

We'll tailor in January. I'll give you the dates immediately after Christmas.

The woman of the year banquet will be Monday night. Sorry I'll be in Baton Rouge and can't attend.

Serena Lewis will give you Christmas decorations on KNOE-TV at 2:45 Tuesday. Don't miss seeing her. The National Live Stock Show used this time this last Tuesday, so Ellen and I were not with you as planned. We'll still do that show later.

Don't forget — I'll be out of the office all next week but the secretaries will be in if they can help you.

See you next Sunday.

Notes From The Garden Center

Mrs. W. C. Knotts and Mrs. E. B. Knotts of Sicily Island served as judges on Tuesday, November 24. The unusual and exotic materials used by the Ruston Garden Club in their arrangements created much favorable comment. Awards were as follows: first place went to Mrs. Lamonte Wright. For a container Mrs. Wright chose a Mexican wooden dough tray and arranged canna leaves, clusters of pecans and peach seeds and bronze chrysanthemums in a horizontal manner.

Second place was awarded to Mrs. Roy Cook for a study in lavender and purple. Deep purple canna leaves, spikes of castor bean stalks and lavender and purple chrysanthemums in a low container.

Mrs. H. C. Neely was awarded third place for a beautiful vertical design using strelitzia (bird of paradise) and TI leaves (from Hawaii) combined with large yellow Fuji mums in a grey pillow vase.

Mrs. Steward Hunt took first place in the horticulture class for a beautiful white camellia. Second place went to Mrs. E. R. Hays for a lovely spray of purple spoon chrysanthemums. Third place was awarded to Mrs. B. H. Talbot for a large yellow spider chrysanthemum.

The spirit of Christmas prevailed in the Suburban Garden Club of Ruston on display this week. First place awarded to Mrs. Frank Parrish for a distinctive vertical arrangement using a tall white twisted candle with spikes of yucca and Chinese yew as background material. A small white deer and a chartreuse Christmas tree ball were used as accessories.

Second place was awarded to Mrs. Malcolm Hood. A silver four-branched candelabra with tall white candles studded with red sequins and red carnations and English variegated holly arranged in an epergne created a colorful and beautiful design.

Mrs. J. D. Murry was awarded third place, for a lovely triangular design using spiral fashion aspidistra leaves small white chrysanthemums in graduated sizes and Chinese yew. Two white candles were used as accessories.

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Eighteen Baptist churches of the Trenton Baptist Association will honor Dr. J. C. Murphy Monday night at the Trinity Baptist Church, West Monroe. This will be designated as "M' night," the biggest night of the year of this association.

More than 500 messengers from the 18 churches are expected to attend the meeting with no standing room available in the church when the service begins at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. J. C. Murphy, pastor of the Temple Baptist Church in Ruston, main speaker of the night, is much sought after minister for such occasions as this. He is one of the most positive, dynamic Baptist preachers in the state.

Officers of the Trenton Training Union Association are: Rev. Jack Hanna, pastor Mt. Vernon Church, director; Rev. L. Loyd Brown, pastor of Oak Grove church, associate director; Miss Nell Cheek of the



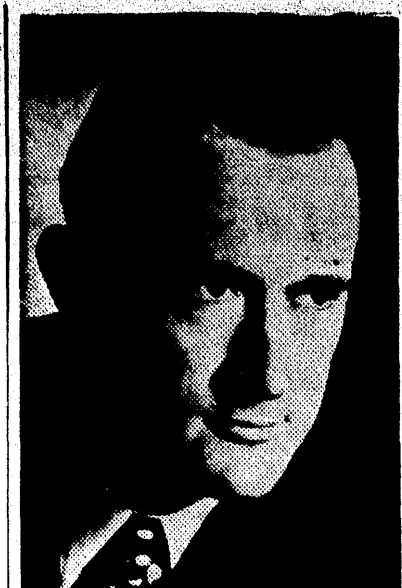
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DR. J. C. MURPHY

Ridge Avenue church, secretary and Miss Betty Fisher, also of Ridge Avenue church, musician.

The service starting at 7:30 p. m. will begin with the showing of a Christian picture. The entire program is to center around this theme, "The Greatness of God's Love."

Revival Week In L. Providence Made Known

LAKE PROVIDENCE — The series of services, to be conducted during a one week revival at the Lake Providence Church of Christ, will begin Sunday evening, Dec. 6 with Wendell Winkler, Rayville, delivering a sermon on "The Birth of Christ." Sunday evening meetings will start at 7:30 p. m. On Monday, Dec. 7, J. W. Howell, Tallulah, will tell of "The Baptism of Christ."

On Tuesday evening "The Crucifixion and the Blood," will be explained by Clean Lyles, Little Rock, Ark. Wednesday, Marvin Wisner, Delhi, will advise on "The Authority of Christ."

For Thursday evening Charles A. Lucas, Natchez, Miss., will use "The Preachings of Christ," as his text; Paul Murphy, Bastrop, will deliver the sermon on Friday on "Believing on Christ." Saturday evening "Christ and the Church," will be the topic of remarks by Yarbrough Leigh of Greenville, Miss.; closing the series of talks Sunday evening, Dec. 10, will be the local preacher, Paul Winkler, who will present "The Second Coming of Christ."

Christmas Series Planned Starting Here On Sunday

A special series of Christmas services will begin with the 11:00 o'clock worship service on December 6th at the First Presbyterian Church. The minister, Reverend W. H. McFadden, will deliver the following series of Christmas messages:

- December 6th — "A Spirit Is Born."
- December 13th — "A Light Is Lit."
- December 20 — "A Son Is Given."

This series of Christmas messages is designed to put Christ back into the Christmas season. In a day in which so much emphasis is placed on the commercial pursuits of life, it is good to turn again to God's son to find his peace and love.

Dr. Newman To Be Featured At Brotherhood Meet

Dr. A. S. Newman, secretary of the Louisiana Baptist Brotherhood department, will be the featured speaker at the Monday meeting of the district three Baptist Pastor's Conference. The conference will assemble at 10:00 a. m. in the Temple Baptist Church of Monroe where the Rev. Leon Ivey is pastor.



DR. A. S. NEWMAN

Dr. Newman is a well known leader and speaker in brotherhood activities and is also a much sought after leader of evangelistic efforts.

Rev. A. T. Mitchell, president of the conference will preside at the sessions. Rev. Wayne Carpenter will bring a devotional and Dr. Tommy Welch will teach an exposition on the scriptures according to Rev. O. P. Bazer, secretary of the conference. After lunch which will be served by the host church,

Dr. E. Stanley Jones To Address Crusade Here

There is a wide-spread interest in the coming visit of Dr. E. Stanley Jones who is one of America's outstanding Christian statesmen and a long-time missionary leader in India. On Thursday evening, December 10 at 7:30 p. m. he will speak at the Neville auditorium on "A United Church — Possible and Inevitable."

The meeting is being held under the sponsorship of the Monroe Crusade Committee. Gardner Young is the general chairman of the local crusade committee.

Arrangements for this meeting are being made by a committee of ministers and laymen of the churches of the Twin Cities as part of the nation-wide Crusade for a United Church in the course of which Dr. Jones will deliver addresses in forty cities on a coast-to-coast tour. His crusade message calling on the churches to unite for the purpose of strengthening Christianity at home and throughout the world has started a ground-swell for union across the country.

Dr. Jones' challenge to the churches of America will be listened to with great respect because he is perhaps as well fitted as any living person to speak on the great moral problems that we are facing in this time of world-wide crisis.

During his forty-five years as an evangelist at home and a missionary abroad, Dr. Jones has had an unusual opportunity for observing the growing unrest throughout the world. He sees the real war as one for the minds and loyalties of people everywhere and his plea is for Christians to seek strength through union for winning the world to the Christian way of life.

"The freedom-loving peoples of the world are looking for us for something beyond and above military and economic aid, for something in which they can put their faith," said global evangelist Jones. "I am convinced that the new order which is struggling to be born is a kingdom of God society. That is what Christianity has to offer, to replace the false hopes of atheistic communism. The church is the greatest serving institution on earth. In this hour of confusion, its leadership is needed as never before."

There will be an important meeting of the district three executive board stated Rev. H. L. Sampson head of that group.

A large number of pastors from the twin city area are expected to be in attendance at this meeting. Also pastors from Bastrop, Columbia, Stirlington and surrounding areas.

Active on the Monroe Crusade Committee are: Rev. James T. Harris, Dr. Ben Oliphant, Rev. R. T. Watson, Dr. H. L. Johns, and Rev. David Felder.

Accompanying Dr. Jones will be Harvey F. Kazmaier of Boston, the director of the crusade, who will meet with the local committee to work out plans for establishing a continuing committee to cooperate with the Association for a United Church in extending the work of education for union, to all the churches and church groups in neighboring areas.

Nothing but a United Church can be adequate for the task before us."

In his address, Dr. Jones will speak out of the experience of his years of work with all churches in all lands. He says: "Thirty years ago evangelism centered in the evangelist. Today it is the laymen and laywomen, working as a team with their minister as coach, who are the great force in evangelism. We have rightfully returned to the pattern of the early Christian Church. The first evangelists to go forth spreading the 'good news' were all laymen." Dr. Jones' prophetic message will be awaited with interest.

Dr. Jones conceives of this crusade as a people's movement, and his appeal is for union of all Protestant churches, beginning with a unified program at the local level, and extending to a national solidarity of Christian witness. Denominational leaders have expressed the opinion that the movement for church union in America has been speeded up by ten years as a result of the wide-spread interest created by the crusades.

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Hymn Sing Group Meets And Holds Officer Election

The Ouachita Baptist Association Hymn Sing met at Wallace Ridge Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon when the following officers were installed:

Director, Mrs. Bullard Jones; associate director, Mrs. Lester Alexander; secretary, Miss Alma Jo Gallender; pianist, Mrs. C. F. Rounton; publicity director, Mrs. H. B. McClure; choir leader, Mrs. Rufus Knight; training union choir leader, Gayle Dean; Sunday school choir leader, J. L. Beasley.

At each officer was installed, there was rendered a musical theme suited to the office.

Participating were groups from Pleasant Grove choir, Harrisonburg, Forst Carol Choir, Wallace Ridge quartet, and the mass choir composed of four members from each church in the association.

M' Night Slated In Forest Auditorium

The 1953 "M' night" service of the Forest Baptist Church slated for Monday at 7:30 p. m. will be held in the Forest School Auditorium, as a result of a fire Thursday, in which the church building was demolished. It was reported by Pastor H. G. Hammons of the Forest Baptist Church, Saturday morning.

The theme of his service will be "Keeping the Faith," and the principal speaker will be Dr. G. Earl Guinn, president of Louisiana College in Pineville. A color film also entitled "Keeping the Faith," will be viewed by churchgoers attending the service.

Bible Comment

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

Christianity and Citizenship

When one looks back upon the history of governments, and even looks out upon governments in the world today, it becomes obvious that in countries like the United States and Canada there is no conflict between Christian rights and duties and the rights and duties of citizenship.

Here, the better Christian a man is, the better citizen he will be. Christianity and democracy have so much in common as to be in many respects almost identical in their demands of idealism and duty.

But in some other lands today it is not possible to be a lawful and peaceable Christian without the peril and actualities of persecution and even of death.

One could hardly have believed that persecutions such as the early Christians endured in the worst days of the Roman Empire would have broken out, again against Christians, in this world of the twentieth century.

We who live in lands in which democratic liberties and rights prevail should set a profound value upon our heritage. Yet one cannot observe the whole area of life in such democratic lands without realizing that vast numbers of people for whom such rights and liberties are available either set little value upon them or preserve that heritage of freedom by lives of utterly selfish and unsocial conduct, or by downright criminality.

We are far from having built a democracy, ideally operating and sound in every part. Moreover, the nature and extent of the problem of juvenile delinquency darkens hope for the future that might otherwise be strong. If we do think of each generation improving upon its predecessor.

My father used to say that ought to be a great deal better than our fathers, because we live in a world of larger knowledge and better opportunities. Yet I should hesitate to say that I a better man than my father was. What we might call Christian ideals and teachings are shabby and foolish, by many who are Christians. Christianity is a fraud founded upon Judaism, its supreme emphasis upon devotion to the commonwealth.

And many, who are not Christians nor Jews in their living and in their citizenship show allegiance to the same ideal and values.

What are these ideals and values that characterize the Christian citizen and set the standard for all?

First of all is the demand of honesty in thought and action. Second is devotion to the common good, as against the pursuit of one's self and to the unfair advantage of one's fellow.

What a record our history reveals in the various forms of unfair exploitation to which many are subjected!

Third, good neighborliness is demanded. All good citizenship. I God Samaritan is still the example for the good Christian the good Jew and the good citizen whatever his creed, or his lack of creed.

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6:15 p. m., Training Union in 10 departments (a union for you). Mack Cheek, director.
7:30 p. m., Worship Hour. "The real meaning of Christmas" will be the pastor's subject.
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EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
801 Travis, West Monroe
O. P. Bazer, Pastor.
9:45 a. m., Sunday School.
10:30 a. m., Worship Hour. The pastor's subject, "Missions: The Call of Christ."
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Pastor, J. B. Borden.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. H. W. McFadden, Superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m. Mrs. J. O. Williams, director.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
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Pastor, J. B. Borden.
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GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 4, Box 111
West Monroe, Louisiana
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Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. George Parker, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m. Gary Parker, director.
Brotherhood meeting, 6:30 p. m. J. E. Wilkes, president.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
The W. M. U. will meet in circles this week. The Harvey Lou circle will meet with Mrs. Vera Caldwell and the Marjorie Wingo circle will meet with Mrs. H. E. Raabon. Book meetings will begin at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday.
The Youth Organizations and the group book meetings will begin at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday.
Regular monthly business meeting will be held at 8:15 p. m. Thursday.
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Singers, pianist, and lovers of gospel music are cordially invited to attend.

Milton Berle To Wed Former WAC

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—UP—Television comedian Milton Berle and Ruth Cosgrove will be married next Wednesday morning in the chambers of Supreme Court Justice Morris Eder. Miss Cosgrove, 32, a former Women's Army Corps officer and now a publicist, has been married twice previously. Berle, 45, has also been married twice before, both times to actress Joyce Matthews.

Follow this special Christmas story every day until Christmas starting Tuesday, Dec. 8 IN THE

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World-famous Missionary Author, Evangelist



Dr. E. Stanley Jones

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2:30 P. M.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Mass Meeting
7:30 P. M.
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Dr. E. Stanley Jones, world renown missionary and evangelist is known to millions of Americans through his books, several of which are best sellers. These include "Christ of the Indian Road," "Abundant Living," "How to be a Transformed Person." He has served for 42 years as an American Missionary to India and the East. In recent years he has spent 6 months of each year in India and the other 6 months in the United States. He has visited every state in the country in the course of his work of conducting Christian Missions. He is at present on a nationwide tour crusading for closer unity among Christians of all Churches. In his addresses, Dr. Jones stresses the need for unity if the church is to re-establish the moral standards upon which our nation was built. "Our task at home and throughout the world is too great today for a divided church." All Christians of Monroe and West Monroe welcome him to our community and look forward to hearing his great inspirational message.

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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman



Do your friends look at you like this young woman is doing? Maybe you are boring them. Josephine Lowman suggests ways to overcome it.

What Makes One Boring? Lack Of Interest In Others

What is it that makes people boring? Of course, there are all kinds! Some people bore us by talking about the same subject all the time while others can be boring no matter what subject we think up. This takes real genius. Women may talk about their children and regale us at every meeting with cute things they have said and what they are doing and how much they weigh. Men may

talk only about their professions or their favorite sport or hobby. Some constantly hark back to the good old days, to rah rah college days or the time when life was simple and politics pure. (They never were).

While every individual has interesting slants and ideas and experiences within himself, a bore makes it a backbreaking job to discover them. The bore is usual-

ly a monologist. He or she corners you at a party and keeps you pinned with never ending enthusiasm for the favorite subject. You try to get a word in. No luck! No one comes to save you.

I am not speaking of the raconteur. A good story teller is an asset in any gathering if he does not tell one story after another and gives appreciative attention when someone else gets into the act. When we analyze the characteristics which make bores of people we learn some of the things to avoid and some to promote in order to make our own personalities more attractive to others.

It seems to me that just one rule would about take care of everything. A real interest in others will save you from being the monologist type. You will actually be interested in what the other fellow has to say. It also keeps you from talking too much about yourself for the same reason.

If you have this awareness of others you will just naturally meet their criticisms and ideas with appreciation and perception. Some gay, very alive folks just naturally talk more than others. I am not speaking of this type. Bless them, they keep the ball rolling but know when to stop.

It is important not to be a bore because it is important to be wanted and liked. Many persons who feel the need of human companionship and are sincerely interested in others still fail to make friends. In another column this week I will give you a few suggestions which will help overcome loneliness.

In the meantime if you would like to have my leaflet, "How to Overcome Loneliness and Self-Consciousness," send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 59 to Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

Tomorrow: "Family Service Association Smooths Many Problems."

(Released by The Register and Tribune Syndicate, 1953)

An old tooth brush comes in handy in cleaning dirt from hair combs.

Northeast Louisiana's Dennis The Menace



GUY "SCOOTER" MURRAY, Bastrop
Winner Dennis the Menace Contest \$100 U. S. Savings Bond



MICKEY ANTLEY, West Monroe
Second Place \$50 Bond



DENNIS RAY DUNN, Epps
Third Place \$25 Bond

Scooter

(Continued from First Page)

him "Scooter" and he has a cow lick in the crown of his head like Dennis and one across the front. We keep his hair cut G. I. to solve the combing problem."

Mentioning some of her son's latest pranks Mrs. Murray recited the following:

"Our grandmother came to visit over night and prepared for bed while my Dennis was in the bath tub. When he came out and found

her in night clothes he asked with a look of alarm 'Are you going to sleep with all that dirt on you?' We explained that she was a morning bather."

"When I recently took an expectant mother guppy out of the large fish tank to wait for baby fish, I answered his question of why: 'It was because she was sick and did not need to be with the other fish.' Later I heard him talking to something and found it was the fish. He was putting aspirin in the water to make her well."

"He had a recent operation and while I registered at the doctor's office for his check-up, I discovered he was showing an office full of people his pretty scar, where the doctor had cut him."

"He insists on calling our milk man the 'moo man' since cows are moo cows and he brings the cow's milk."

"Dennis made his cat very drunk one day when he put her in a screen wire cricket cage and rolled her all over the yard."

"He loves to run, play and yell the tune of Dragnet. When he gets into trouble he blames things on Boo Boo, an imaginary playmate."

The antics of three-year-old Guy Murray, as told by his mother, were judged by the impartial judges as being most similar to the acts which the real Dennis The Menace portrays daily in these newspapers.

The second place winner, Mickey Antley, is also three years old and his mother states "he resembles Dennis in all his cute sayings and ways."

Recalling some of her young son's tricks, Mrs. Antley states that he has been crazy about cigarettes from the time he was a year old. "Everyone he could find, he would put in his mouth. He'll pick up stubs on the sidewalk and if his father leaves a cigarette burning on the ash tray he'll take it and run behind the garage and puff."

"The spankings we've given him didn't help."

"Even though our Mickey is only three, he has attended Sunday school all of his life and several times while at church his little sisters have requested prayers for Mickey that he would quit smoking and he along with the other little boys and girls would get down on his knees and pray for his bad habit. Time passed and it seemed Mickey had quit smoking and his little sisters' prayers were answered. But one day while Mickey was quiet at play, and knowing that when a noisy child is quiet he is into some kind of mischief, I went to see about him. When I found him he looked up at me and said 'The kids will have to pray all over again' and in his hand was a long cigar stub he had found at play."

Mrs. Antley says that Mickey most resembles Dennis for his cute, cunning mischief. She states that he is never still and one min-

ute is an Indian, a cowboy the next and that there are too many personalities to relate.

Third prize goes to a five-year-old whose real name is Dennis. The Epps lad's name is Dennis Ray Dunn. His mother states that he reminds her of the real Dennis because he is so mischievous.

The five-year-old youngster recently attempted to pull his cat's whiskers out. His reason for doing so was that the cat had pulled the strings out of his bathrobe and he was getting even.

Mrs. Dunn, in referring to her son's capers, recited the following in her letter:

"Several weeks ago his grandfather took Dennis to the woods, where he had been clearing some new ground. Dennis watched him poison some trees so the next day, while no one was looking, he took a hatchet and cut down his grandpa's small peach trees. I asked him why and he said innocently that grandpa had poisoned the trees to kill them so he had cut them down so they would die."

"Several times Dennis has embarrassed me no end. One of these times was recently in the meat market. Dennis saw a pan full of ground hamburger meat and yelled out 'Mommie look at the worms.' Another time when called a Yankee—he was born in Idaho—he replied 'I'm not a Yankee, I'm a dam Yankee.'"

The portions of the letters cited above clearly show the pranks of the first, second and third place winners of the News-Star World Dennis The Menace Contest.

Your Problems

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers, I am 26, my husband is 39 and we have four children. We are over our heads in bills and lately I just feel like "exploding" and running away. My husband and children don't seem to mean anything to me any longer. I definitely do not love him, though he says he loves me. We have talked to our clergyman and to our doctor but nothing has been solved. I asked him for a divorce but backed out because I was afraid of what my parents would say and also because I would have to take two of the children and I do not know how I would work and take care of them, too. I thought perhaps you, as an outsider, might offer a solution?—Mari-Ann

You are young to have four children and the worry of the bills. You are probably emotionally immature for the responsibility. You need the help of a psychiatrist to help you face problems, to help grow up and to help you find new values and to appreciate what you have.

If your parents cannot give you the financial help for psychiatric aid or if you cannot obtain such service through charitable organizations, try to help yourself. Your clergyman can direct you back to the greatest Psychiatrist of them all. Who is more than ready to give you a lift with your burdens or help you see that they are not so important or big in the long run. Why not try it?

Start by believing that you love your husband and children (perhaps you think you do not love him because subconsciously you are afraid of having more children). Think of him, think of the children, plan what you can do for others... the important thing is to stop thinking about yourself and what you want and think you need.

Running away is no solution. Your problems go right along with you and you never would forgive yourself for leaving your children. You are young and in just a few years, when the children are older, things won't be so rough. Stick around, (try hard) and you'll find I am right.

Dear Mrs. Landers, I am 30 and my girl is 18. We have marriage in mind but I do not want to marry until I am of age and have some security behind me. She insists that we should not wait that long and intentionally tries to disturb me to make me decide her way. She is really a fine girl and I do not think that she knows how much effort her tactics have on me. How can I make her slow down?—Tensed

Fine girl, my Aunt Susy! Them are mighty dirty tactics, pardner! It is the obligation of every girl to realize that the brakes on a boy's car are more unreliable and apt not to work as well as hers. Better talk cold turkey to your girl. Tell her that you are capable of running your own life and knowing when it is best for you to marry and that if she cannot act like a lady and accept your decision you suggest you split up until you are in a position to marry.

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper.)

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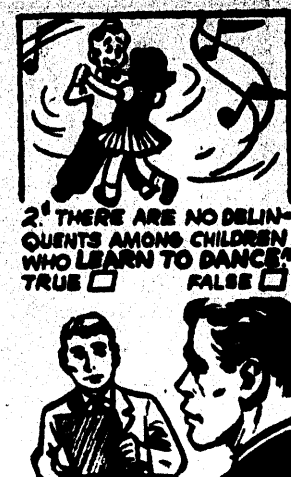
LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Ed.

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.



1. SHOULD COURSES IN MARRIAGE HAPPINESS AND FAMILY HAPPINESS? YES ☐ NO ☐



2. THERE ARE NO DELINQUENTS AMONG CHILDREN WHO LEARN TO DANCE? TRUE ☐ FALSE ☐

3. ARE EXTROVERTS OR EXTROVERTS MORE SUSCEPTIBLE TO TELEPATHY? YOUR OPINION _____

Answer to Question No. 1

1. Yes. According to Dr. Lawrence

Frank, they promise more for human

happiness than settlement of

any other public question (except

the world-wide fight against Com-

munist). He says: "Education for

marriage and family life may, in

time, be regarded as the first step

toward reorganizing education for

the finest thing in the world—family

happiness."

Answer to Question No. 2

2. This statement by Arthur Bergh

is doubtless made upon wide ob-

servation, if not critical analysis.

A nation-wide study by 80 psychol-

ogists proved social dancing to be

the best known personality developer.

Mr. Bergh says "dancing gives

grace, poise, self-confidence and a

sense of belonging and achieve-

ment." Over 3,000,000 children,

ages 3 to 13, are studying dancing

and ballroom dancing has in-

creased 400 percent.

Answer to Question No. 3

3. Apparently, extroverts, Duk-

University psychologist, Betty

Humphrey rated three groups of

introversion and extroversion, an-

compared each with their score

on telepathy tests—or, more accu-

rately, "extra-sensory perception

tests. The extroverts averaged

more "telepathic." Many eminent

psychologists and mathematicians

are convinced telepathy occurs.

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












































QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds



"None, nothing about a carrier pigeon—our News-Star—World Want Ad just says messenger boy wanted!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

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EAST OF SUMATRA—Jeff Chandler comes under the exotic spell of jungle princess Susan Ball in the high romantic moments of the Universal-International Technicolor production of "East of Sumatra," which also costars Marilyn Maxwell and Anthony Quinn. John Sutton, Jay C. Flippen and Seat Man Crothers are featured in the cast. Budd Boetticher directed.

'East Of Sumatra' Starring Jeff Chandler, M. Maxwell

"East of Sumatra" is the brawling saga of a soldier-of-fortune, brought to life by Jeff Chandler in a Universal-International Technicolor adventure and the exploits of this rugged, reckless rover.

will have the screen of the Jim Theatre crackling with spine-tling excitement when it opens here today.

With co-stars Marilyn Maxwell, Academy Award winning Anthony Quinn and Susan Ball joining Chandler in a romantic and robust cast.

"East of Sumatra" mixes jeopardy with forbidden love in a story that will more than satisfy those who like their action rousing, their men rough and reck-

less, their women irresistible. Trouble starts for Chandler at once when his home-office double-crosses him regarding trade goods promised Tunggane laborers hired to help Chandler begin tin-mining operations. Tribal Chief Quinn really turns on the terror when a fire accidentally destroys the native rice harvest and Chandler, already romantically involved with half-caste Princess Susan Ball and his old flame Marilyn Maxwell, faces one of the most terrifying stages ever filmed.

The resulting attempts to escape through the jungle and the climactic machete-and-fire duel between Chandler and Quinn provide a roaring finish to the pulse-pounding pace the story keeps from the start.

Chandler takes to his part naturally and makes you believe that he really is as tough as the jungle he tamed and as dangerous as the women he loves. And Quinn, as always, shows his uncanny ability to build sympathetic appeal for the picture's chief menace.

Marilyn Maxwell, as the woman out of Chandler's reckless past, is a most provocative Technicolor temptress. And she has to be. For in Susan Ball, making her first starring appearance as the jungle, literally brings paradise to the devil's backyard with her sinuous native dance, swimming in the island waters and in general raising the blood-pressure of Chandler and his iron men.

Outstanding in the excellent supporting cast are Jay C. Flippen as Chandler's crew foreman, John Sutton as the home office martinet, Aram Katcher as a native with a love for the bottle, and Seat Man Crothers who gives out equally well with the guitar and a tommy-gun.

Director Budd Boetticher and Producer Albert J. Cohen have fashioned Frank Gill, Jr.'s brisk screenplay into a motion picture bristling with clash and conflict, and the lush tropical values are brilliantly captured in Technicolor.

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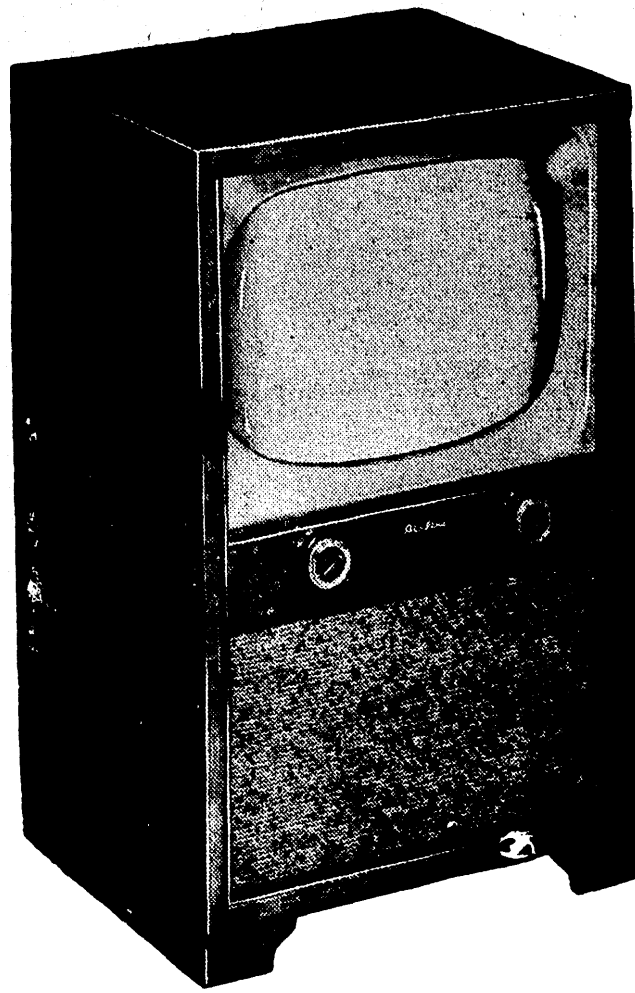
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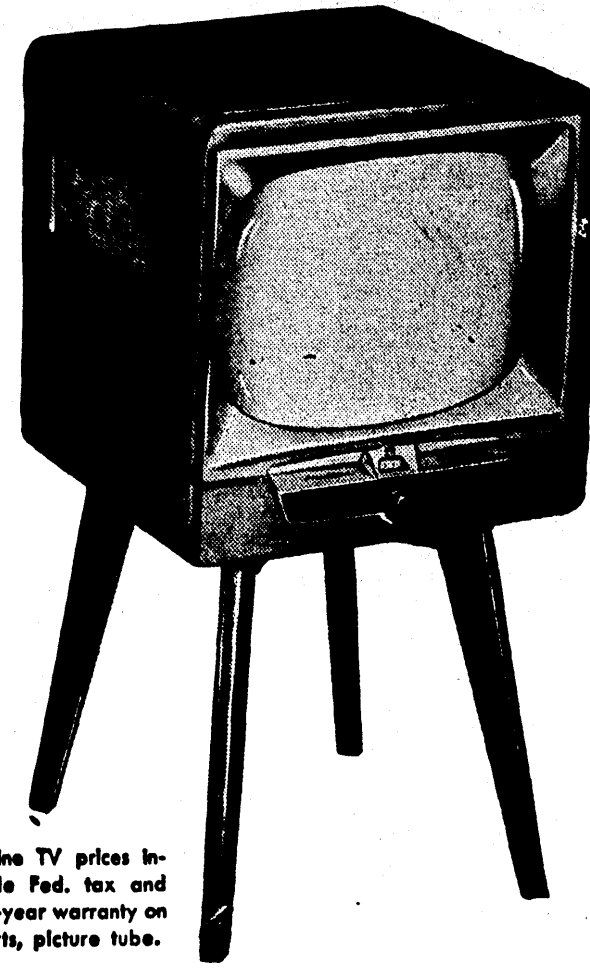
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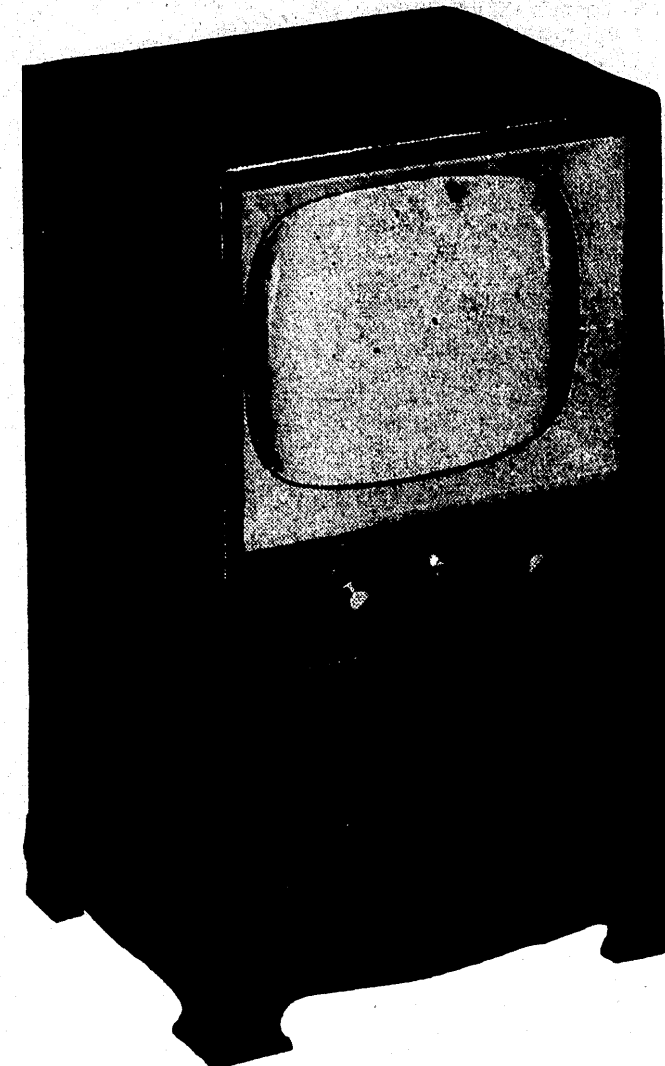


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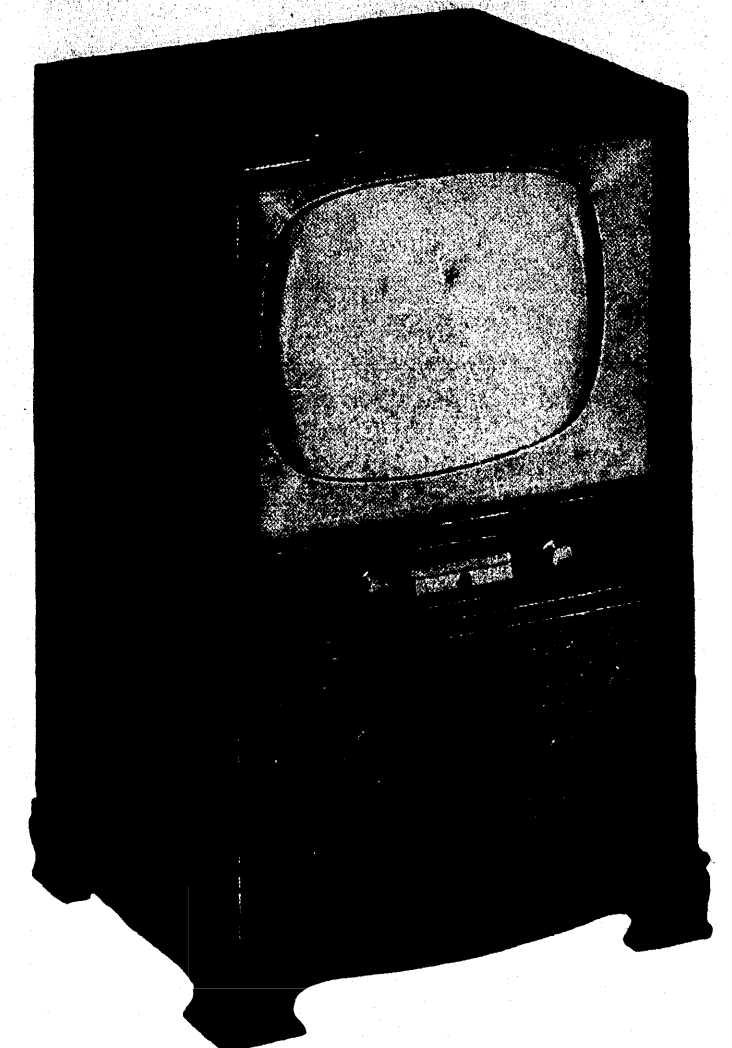
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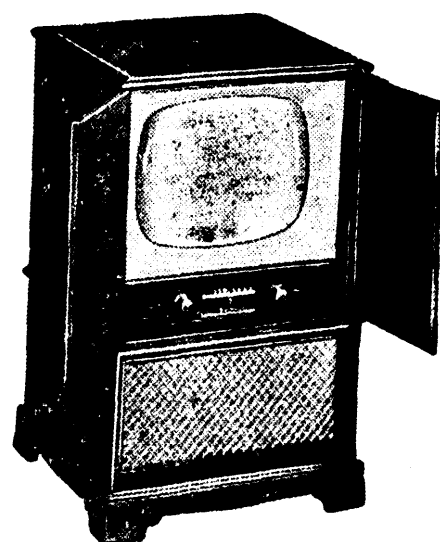


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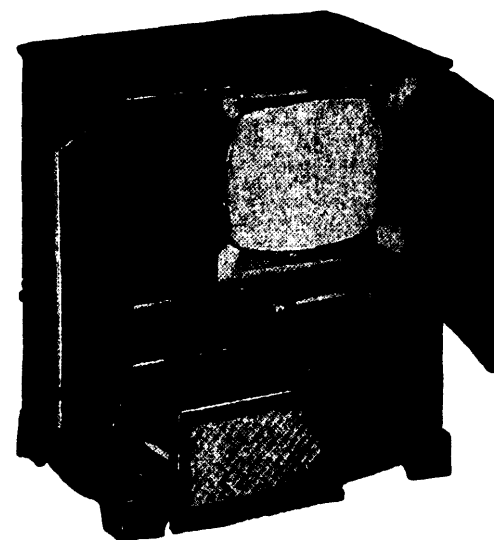
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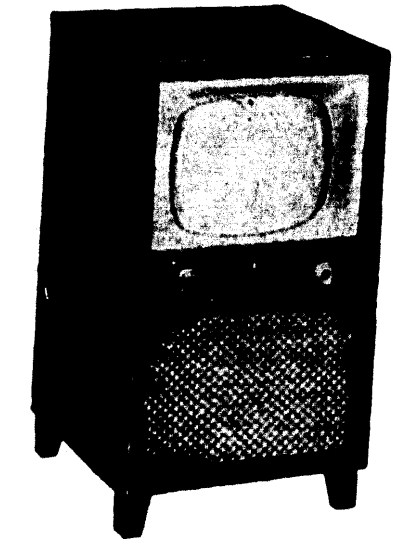
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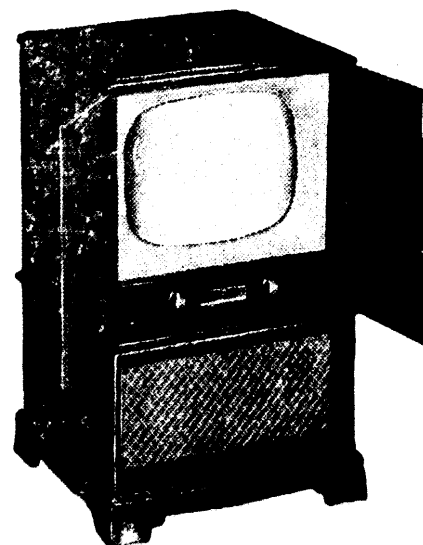
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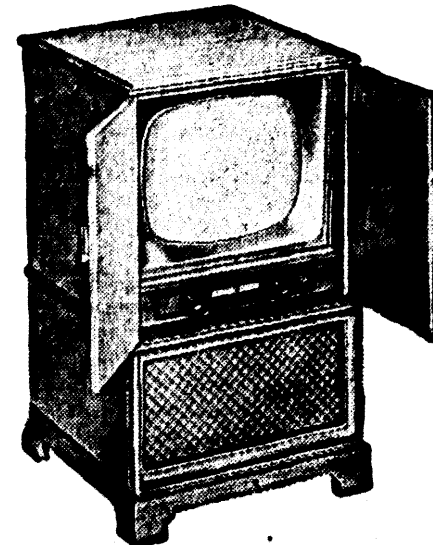
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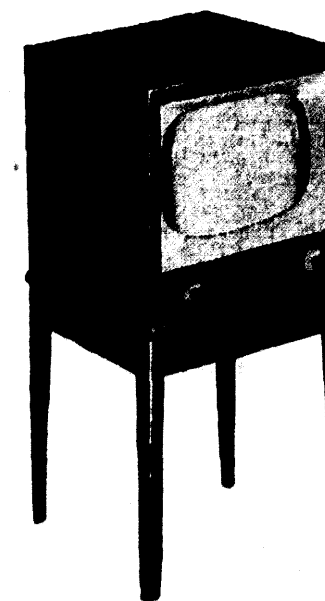
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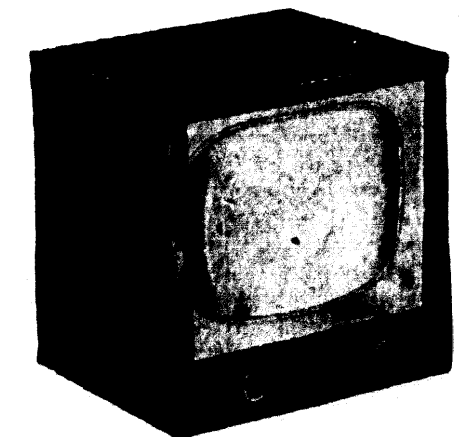
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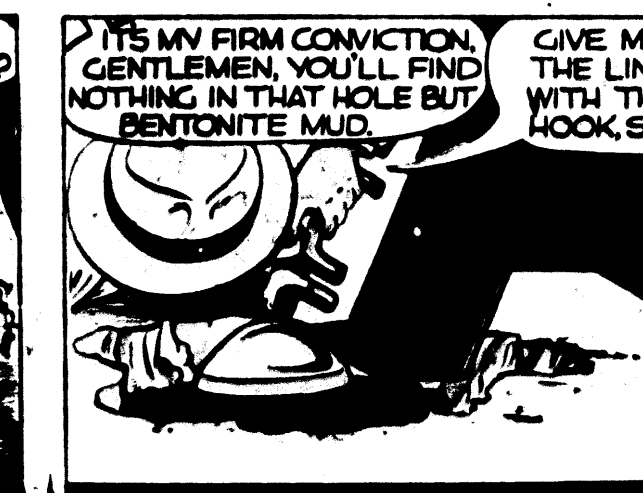
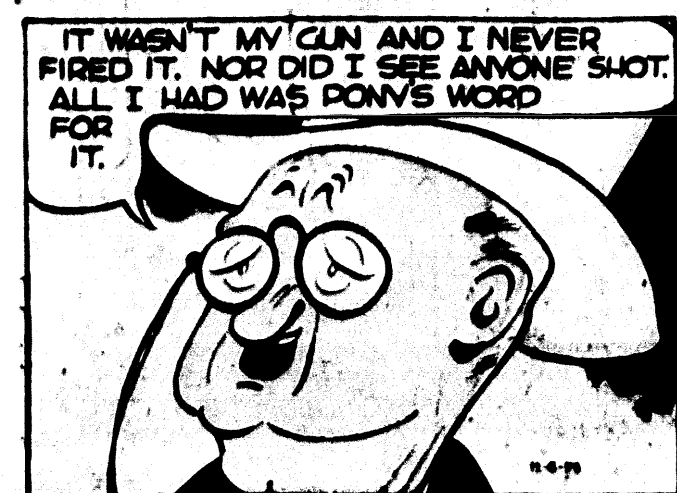
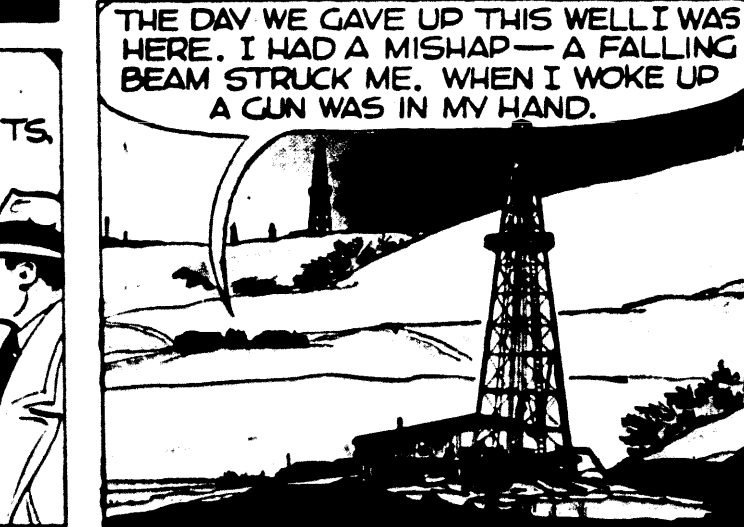
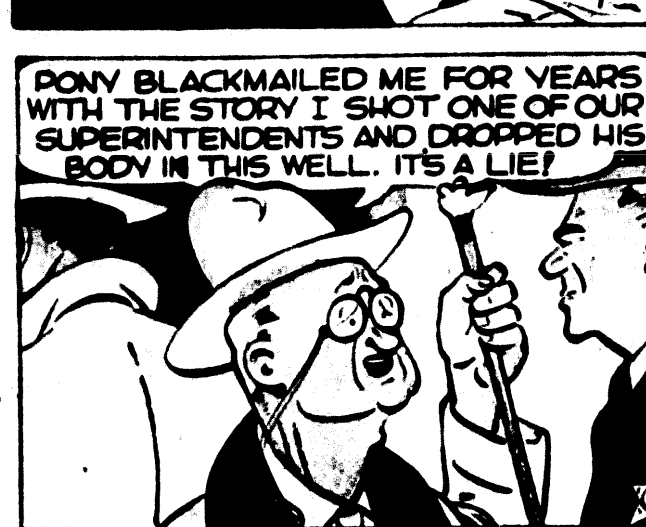
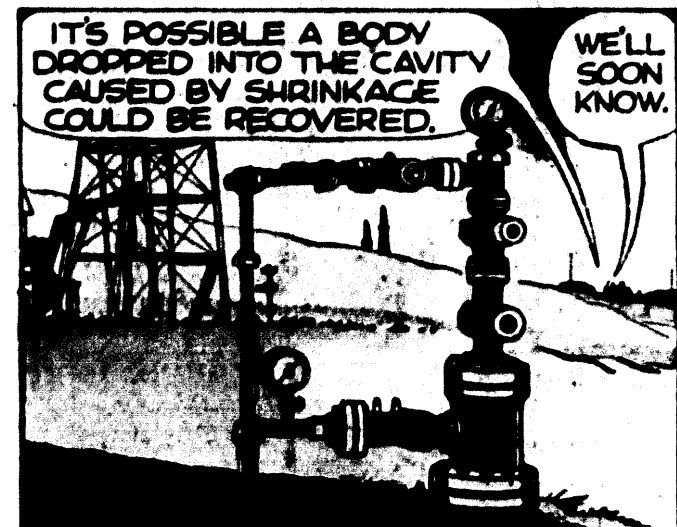
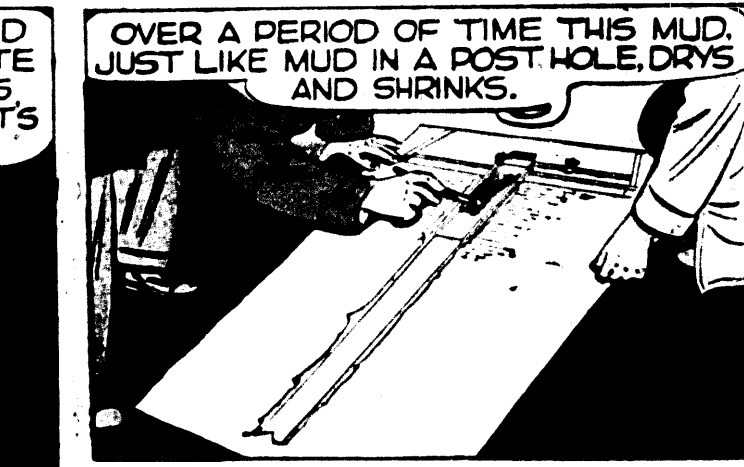
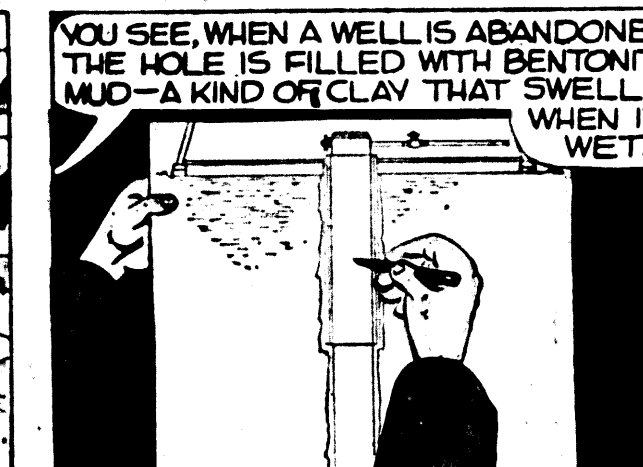
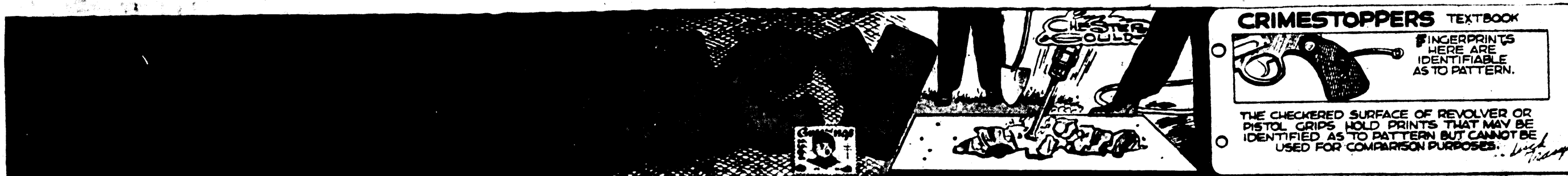
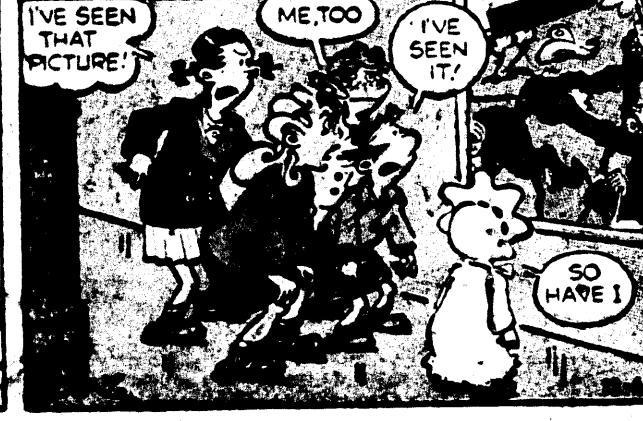
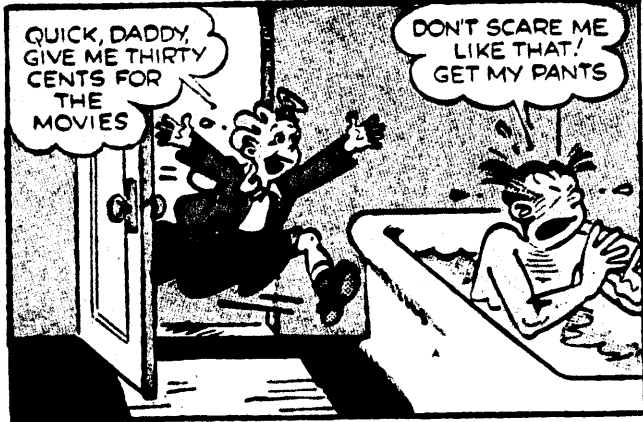
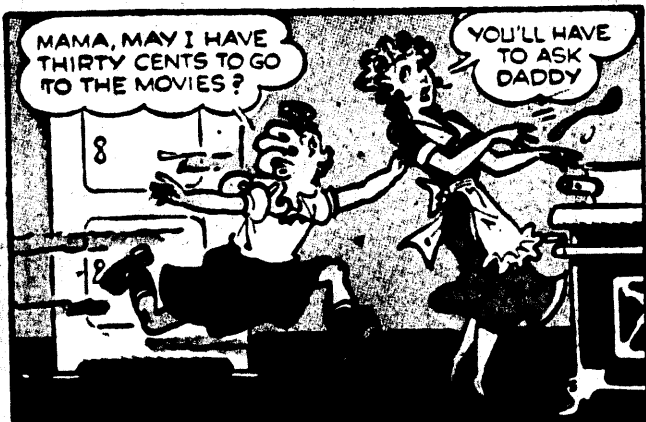
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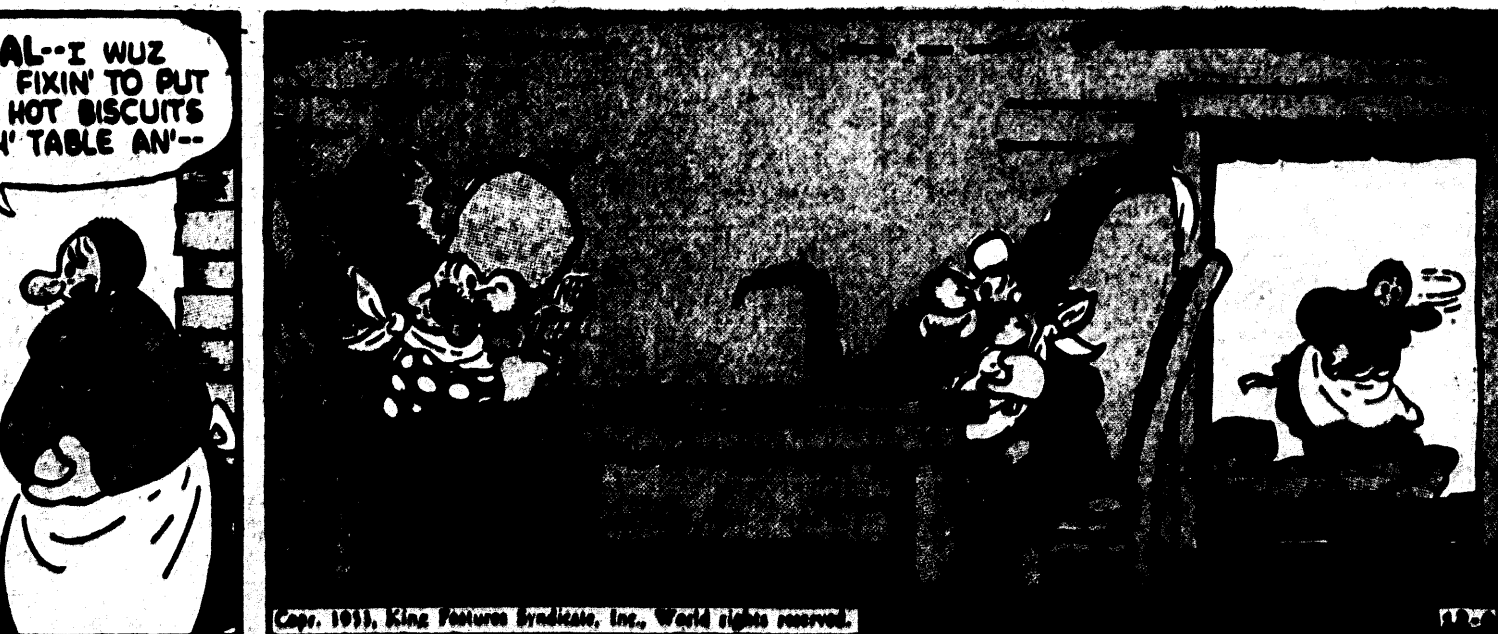
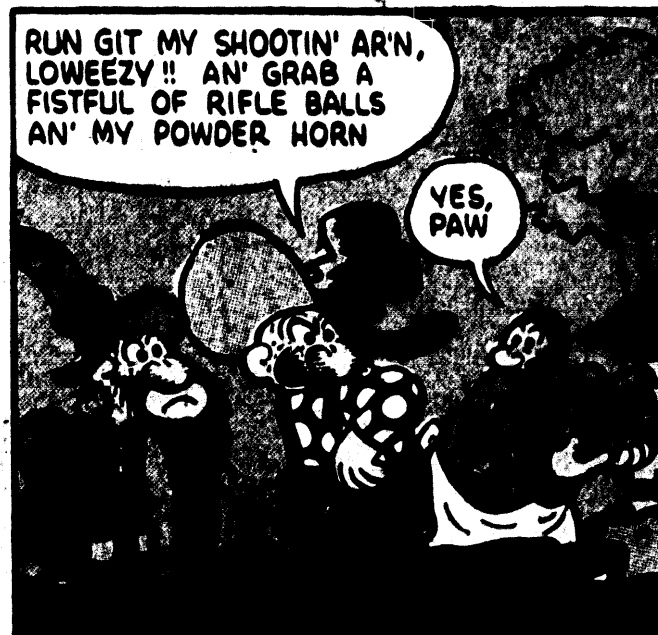
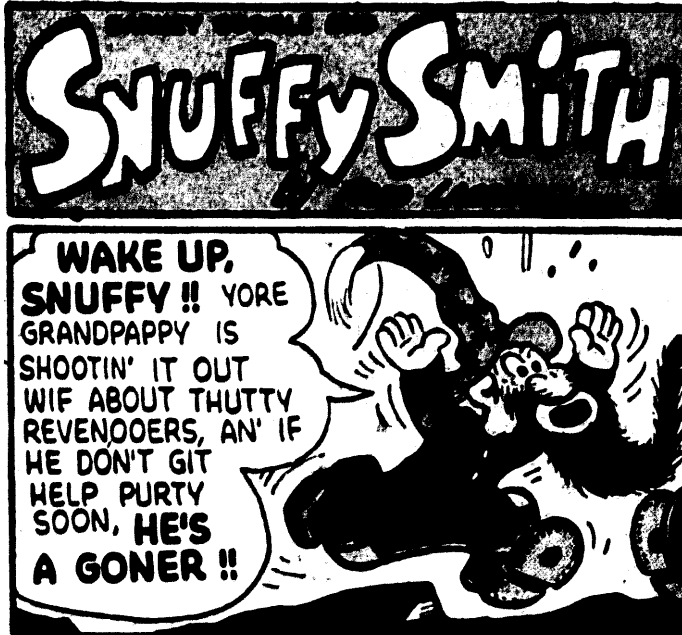
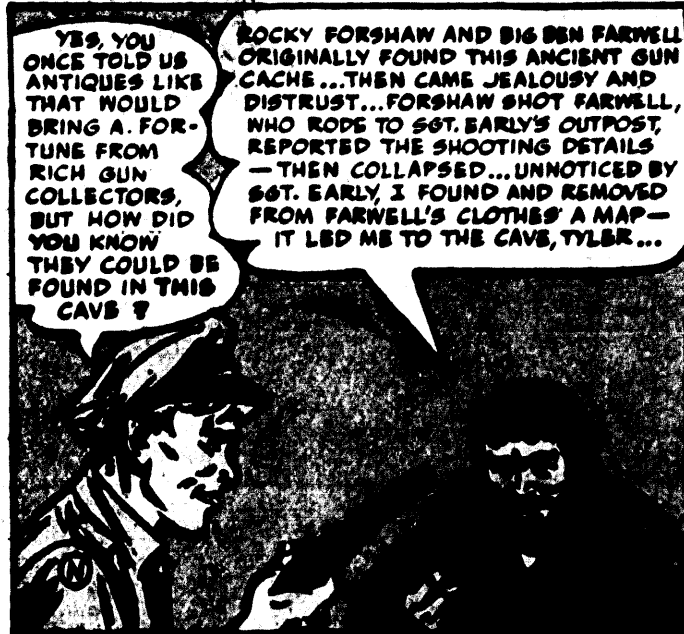
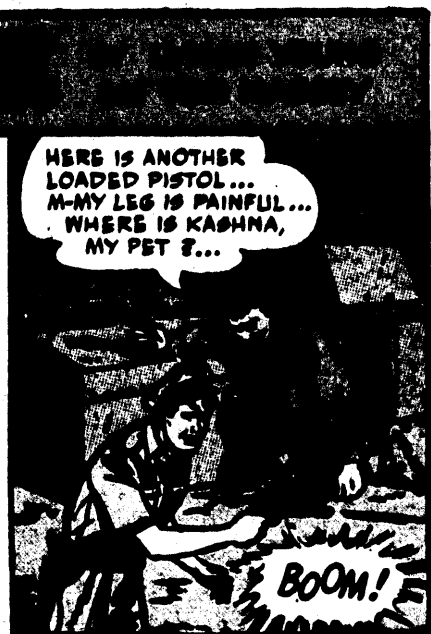
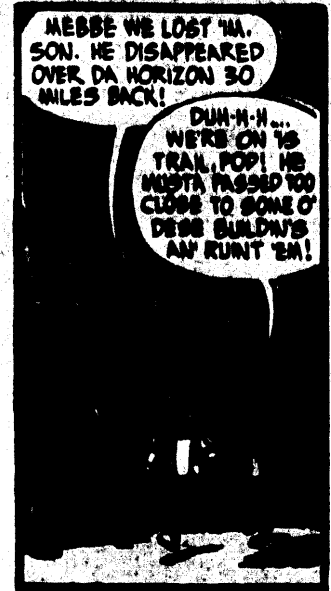
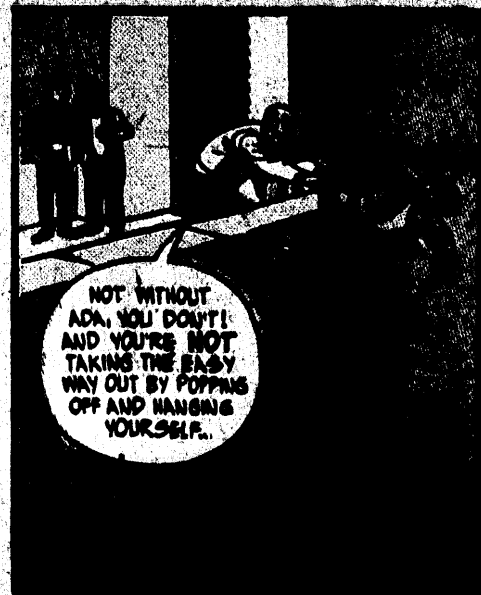
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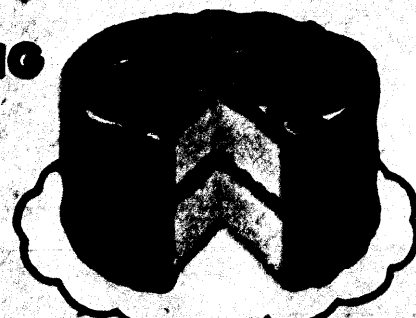


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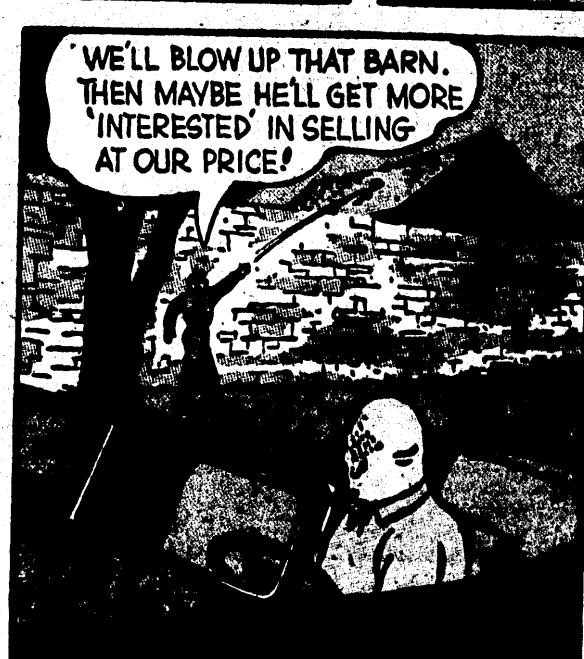
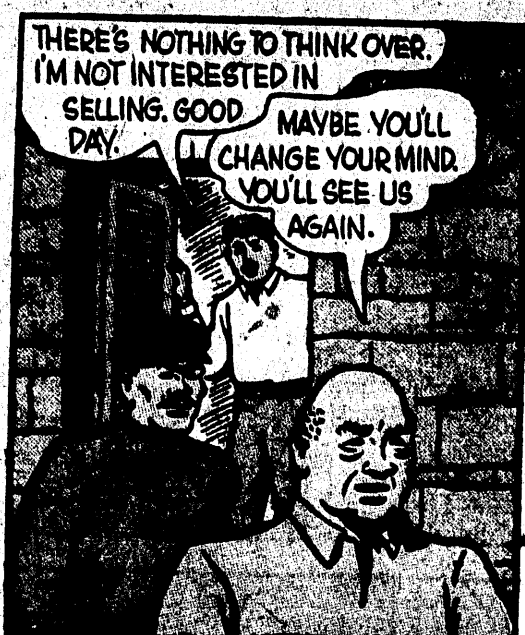
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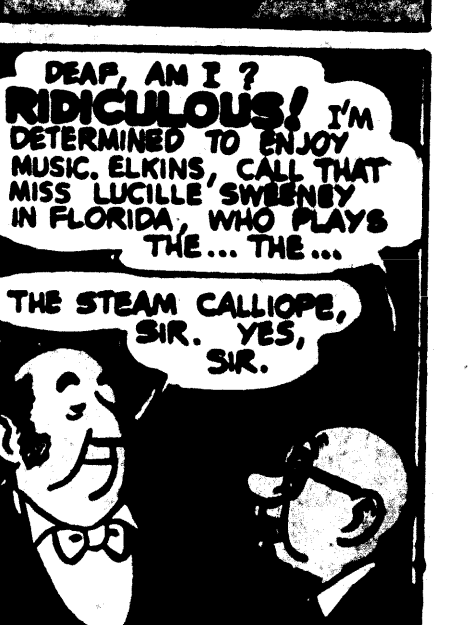
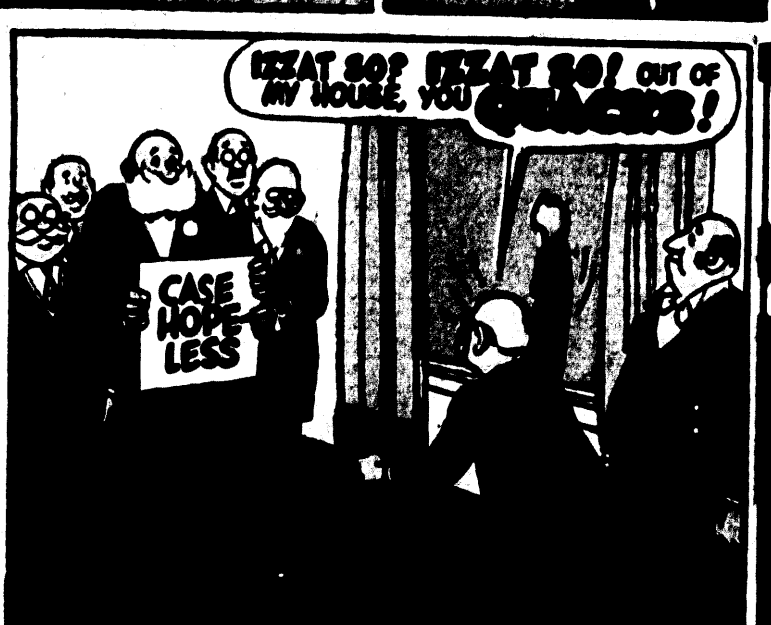
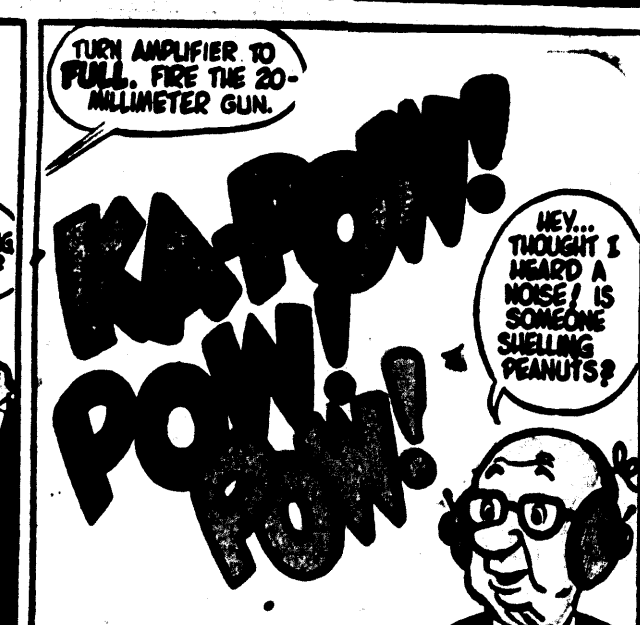
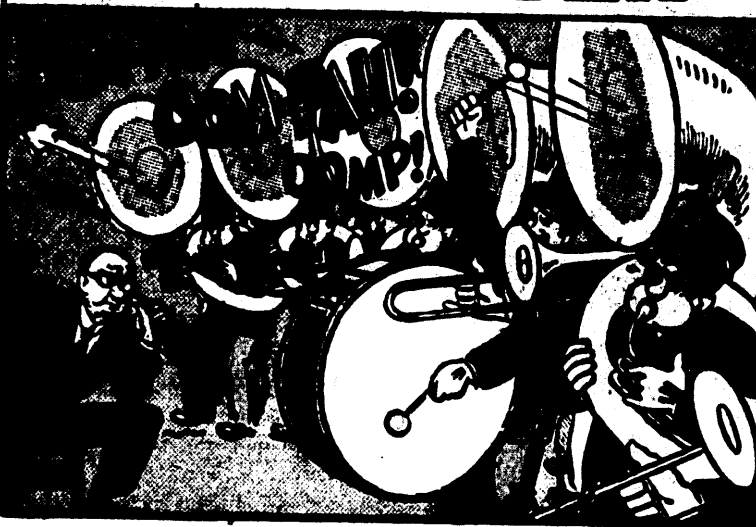
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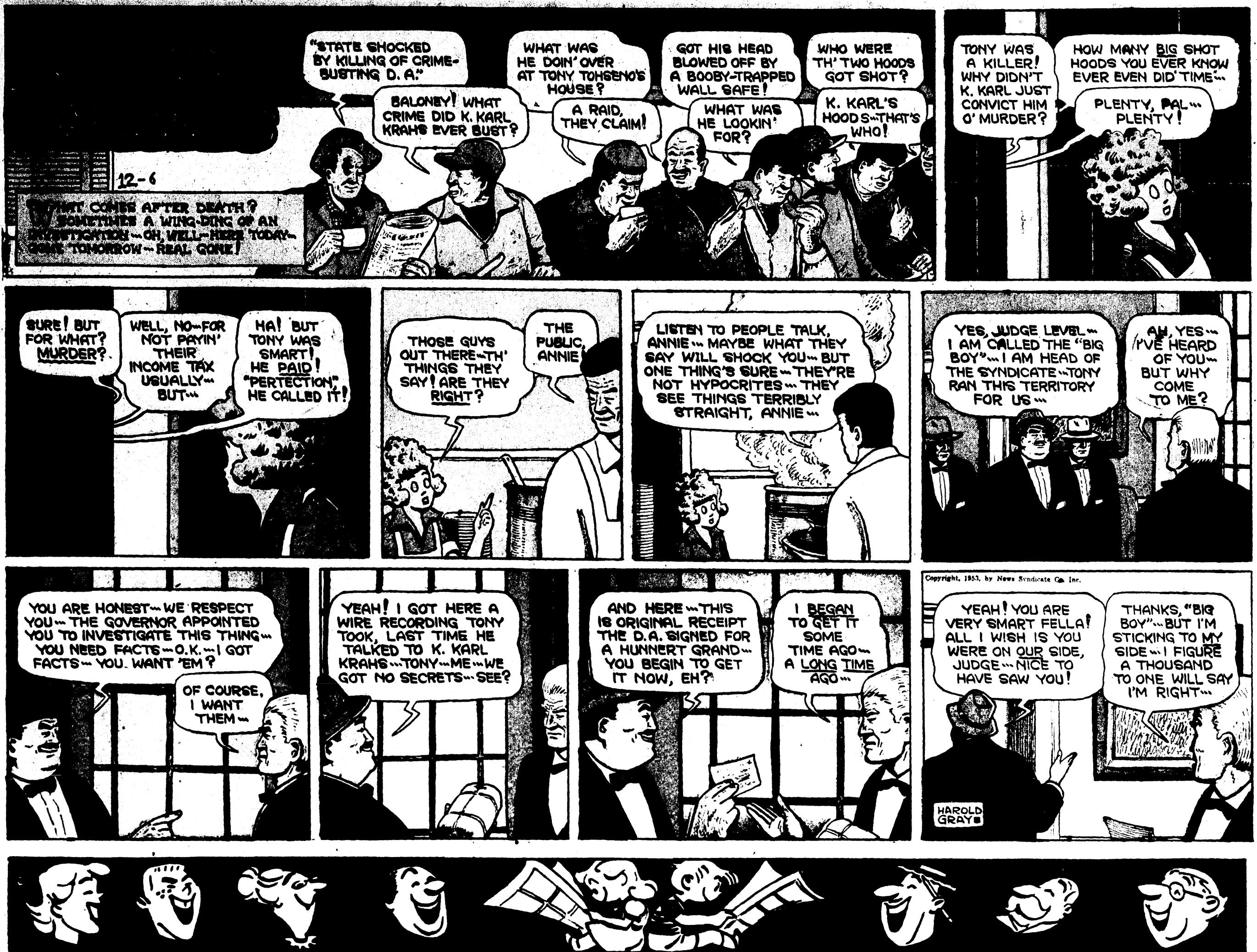
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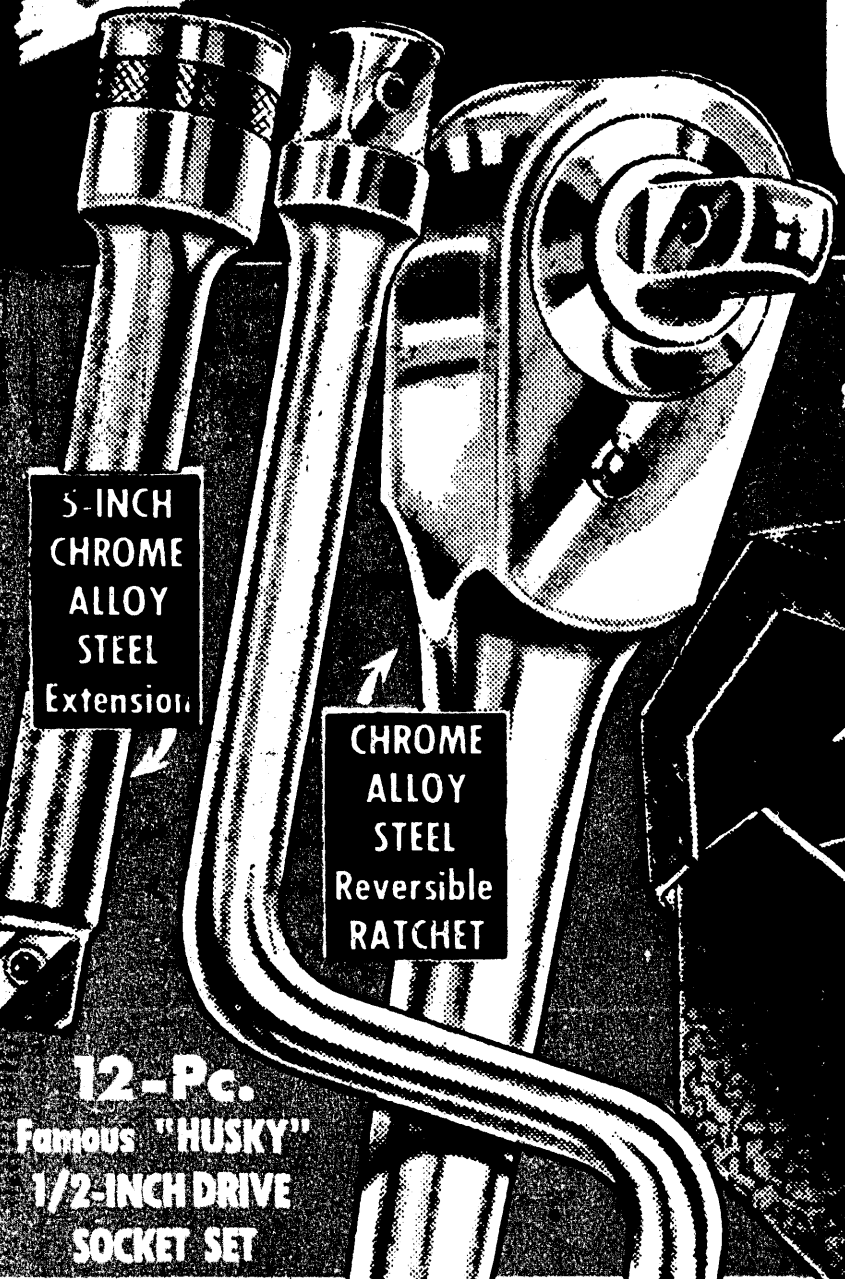
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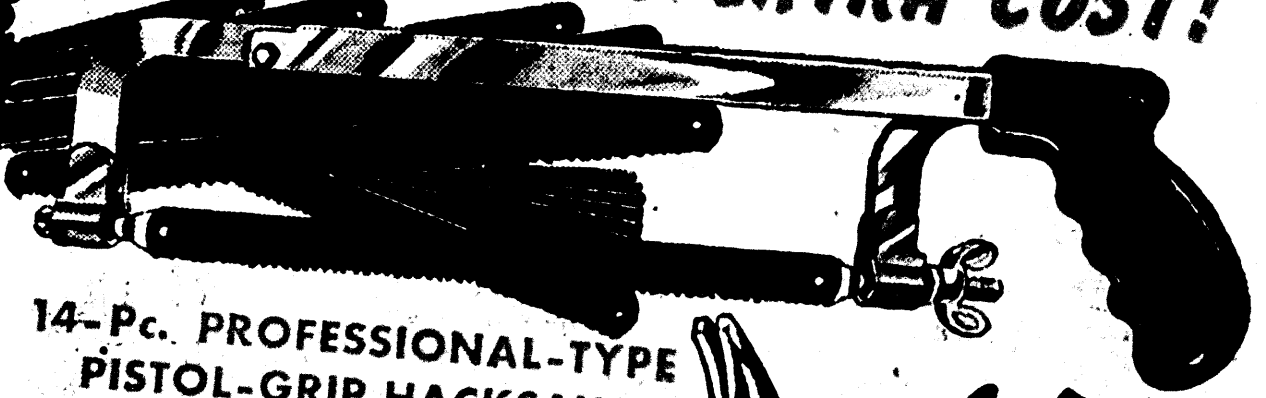
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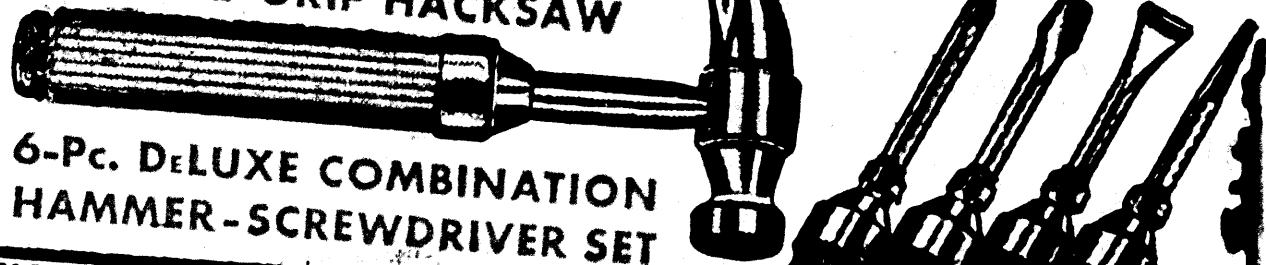
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